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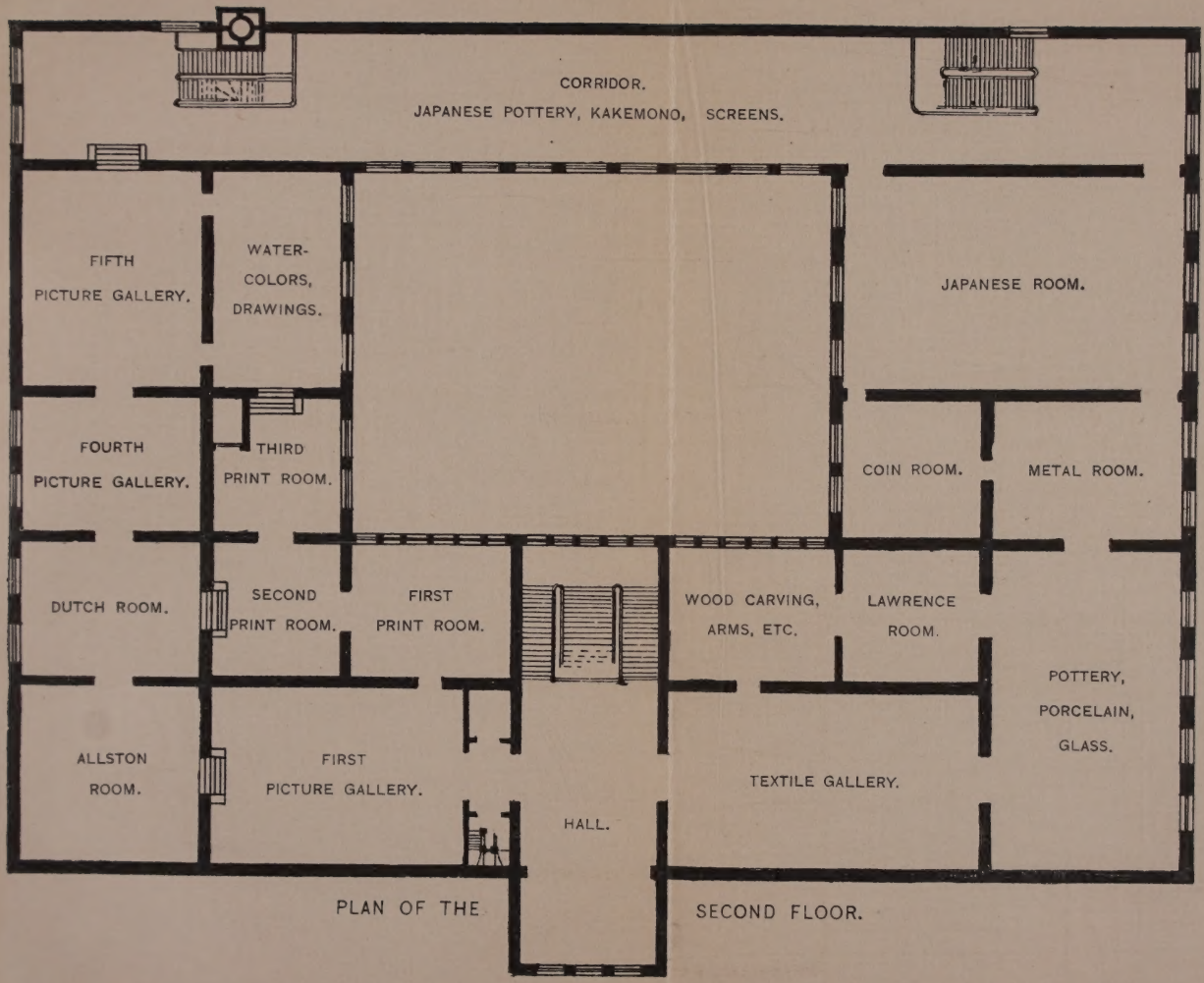


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## ITALIAN, FRENCH, AND SPANISH.

SIENESE SCHOOL. End of Fourteenth Century.

1. Altar-piece. The Entombment and The Assumption of the Virgin. Gift of Martin Brimmer.

2. Madonna and Child with two Angels. *Denman W. Ross.*

3. Madonna and Child with Heads adoring. Bequest of Miss Caroline Isabella Wilby.

SCHOOL OF GIOTTO: b. Colle, 1266; d. Florence, 1337.

4. The Holy Family. *Athenæum.*

NICOLAUS DA VOLTRI. Flourished in 1401.

A follower of Giotto.

5. Madonna and Child, with worshipper kneeling.

Lanzi says there is no known surviving work of his. This however, is inscribed with his name on the hangings behind the head of the Madonna.

EARLY FLORENTINE SCHOOL. 15th Century.

6. Marriage of St. Catherine. *Miss Helen Griggs.*

RUSSIAN SCHOOL.

7. Madonna and Child. *Mrs. Thos. O. Richardson.*

7A. Head of Christ. *Mrs. Thos. O. Richardson.*

UNKNOWN.

8. The Flight into Egypt. *T. C. Felton.*

BYZANTINE SCHOOL.

9. Virgin and Child enthroned with Angels. Gift of Mrs. T. O. Richardson.

10. St. Mark. *Miss Helen Griggs.*

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PALMA VECCHIO. Jacopo Palma, called "Il Vecchio, the Elder": b. Scrinalta, 1490; d. 1560 ? (See 22.)

11. The Annunciation. *Quincy A. Shaw.*

BARTOLOMÈO VIVARINI: painted at Venice between 1459 and 1498.

The precise dates of his birth and death are not known. It is recorded of him that he painted the first oil picture that was exhibited at Venice, 1473.

12. A Pietà, with Paintings of Saints on Panels. Signed, and dated 1485. *Quincy A. Shaw.*

After TIZIANO VECELLIO DA CADORE (?): b. Friuli, Italy, in 1477 (?); d. 1576.

13. Study of the Madonna and Child for an altar-piece Madonna di Pesaro. *James Jackson Jarves.*

CARLO GAROFALO: b. Naples; d. Madrid, about 1715.

14. Vision of St. Dominic. *James Jackson Jarves.*

A study for his large altar-piece in the National Gallery, London.

SCHOOL OF PERUGINO.

15. St. Sebastian. *Denman W. Ross.*

ITALIAN SCHOOL.

16. Portrait of a Venetian. *James Jackson Jarves.*

GASPAR NIGRO, Venice, 1515.

17. Deposition from the Cross; St. Sebastian and other figures attending. *C. C. Felton.*

TIMOTEO DELLA VITE: b. Urbino, Italy, 1470; d. 1524.

18. Madonna and Saints. *James Jackson Jarves.*

TIBALDEO DI PELLEGRINO: b. Valdelsa, Italy, 1527; d. Milan, 1598.

19. Venus Rising from the Sea. *James Jackson Jarves.*

SCHOOL OF RAPHAEL: b. Urbino, 1483; d. Rome, 1520.

20. St. Sebastian. *James Jackson Jarves.*

ANTONELLO DA MESSINA: b. Messina, about 1426.

21. Ecce Homo. *James Jackson Jarves.*

DOMENICO PULIZO: b. Florence, 1492; d. 1527.
Pupil of Andrea del Sarto.

22. St. John. *William G. Brooks.*

FLORENTINE SCHOOL, 16th Century.

23. Two Angels (on canvas transferred from a panel).
Turner-Sargent Collection.

BERNARDINO PINTURICCHIO, 1454–1504.

24. Holy Family. *Estate of Chas. C. Perkins.*

ANDREA DEL SARTO: b. Florence, 1486; d. there, 1531.

25. The Holy Family. *Quincy A. Shaw.*

LUCA GIORDANO, Naples, 1632–1705.
Pupil of Pietro da Cortona.

26. The Eucharist. Gift of Mrs. Thies.

BASSANO (Giacomo da Ponte, called Il Bassano): b. at Bassano, Italy, 1510; d. 1592.
A pupil of Bonifazio, of Venice.

27. The Scourging of Christ. *Quincy A. Shaw.*

BERNADINO LANINI: b. Luino, about 1475; d. Milan, 1533.
Milanese School.

28. Madonna seated with Child. Signed 1561. B—
A copy of this painting is hung at Hampton Court, there ascribed to Bronsino.
Gift of Mrs. S. D. Warren.

TINTORETTO (Giacomo Robusti): b. at Venice, 1512; d. there, 1594. A pupil of Titian.

29. The Adoration of the Magi.
From the Casa Barbarigo. Similar to a picture in the Scuola San Rocco. The kneeling figure is very similar; the Virgin and Child bear a strong resemblance and the prominent introduction of the two doves peculiar to Tintoretto, is the same.
*T. C. Felton.*

29A. Portrait of Doge Grimani. *J. Russell May.*

30. Sketch for the Assumption of the Virgin.
Bequest of Thomas G. Appleton.

31. Sketch of "Last Supper."
Bequest of Miss Mary S. Felton.

JEAN BAPTISTE GREUZE: b. at Tournus, 1725; d. 1805.
A portrait and *genre* painter. His favorite subjects were illustrations of the affections or domestic duties, their observance and violation. He is unique in the French school.

32. Chapeau Blanc. *Athenæum. Dowse Collection.*
33. Head of a Girl. Gift of Geo. A. Goddard.
34. Heads of Children. *Mrs. Francis Brooks.*

JOSEPH SIFFREIN DUPLESSIS: b. Carpentras, France, 1725; d. 1802.

35. Portrait of Franklin. This portrait was formerly assigned to Greuze. Purchased 1828. *Athenæum.*

L. DAVID: b. Paris, 1748; d. Brussels, 1825.
Pupil of Vien. Obtained the *Grand Prix de Rome* in 1774, and remained in Italy six years. He became a member of the Academy in 1783, and professor in 1792. During the Revolution he was imprisoned and abandoned his work. When Napoleon was proclaimed emperor, he named David court painter, and ordered four large pictures of him. After the Restoration, in 1816, he was obliged to leave France, and settled in Brussels.

36. Hector drawn at the Chariot of Achilles. (A study.) Gift of Mrs. E. D. Cheney.

J. B. S. CHARDIN: b. Paris, 1699; d. 1779.

37. Still Life. Gift of Martin Brimmer.
38. Still Life. Gift of Mrs. Peter C. Brooks.

JOSEPH VERNET: b. Avignon, 1712; d. Paris, 1789.

39. Coast View. *Mrs. Francis Brooks.*

HYACINTHE RIGAUD: b. Perpignan, 1659; d. Paris, 1743.

40. Portrait of Mme. Fourbair, wife of Mons. de Breteuil. *Mrs. F. Gordon Dexter.*

JEAN BAPTISTE SANTERRE: b. Magny, 1658; d. Paris, 1717.

41. Portrait of the Duchesse de Longueville. Bequest of Mrs. M. B. Sigourney.

FRANÇOIS BOUCHER: b. Paris, 1704; d. 1770.
He was self-taught. Took the first prize of the French Academy in 1723. In 1730 he went to Italy for a sojourn

of eighteen months. Became a member of the Academy in 1734, and afterwards professor and director. After the death of Vanloo he became court painter, and was attached to the tapestry manufactory of Beauvais.

42 and 43. L'Aller et le Retour du Marché.
Presented by the heirs of Peter Parker.

POLIDORO DA CARAVAGGIO: b. Caravaggio, 1490 (?); d. Messina, 1543.
Pupil of Raphael.

44. The Three Graces. From Raphael's fresco in the Farnesina.

J. B. S. CHARDIN. (See No. 37.)

45. Haunch of Mutton. *Edward W. Hooper.*

SALVATOR ROSA: b. Remella, 1615; d. Rome, 1673.

46. } Landscapes. *John Quincy Adams.*
46A. }

GIOVANNI BATTISTA MORONI: b. Bondo, about 1520; d. Brescia, 1578.

47. Portrait of Count Alborghetti and Son, of Bergamo.
From the Turner-Sargent Fund.

G. B. MORONI.

47A. Portrait of a Man. *Mrs. J. M. Longyear.*

Ascribed to TINTORETTO.

48. Head of a Man. Bequest of Stephen H. Perkins.

CIMA DA CONEGLIANO: 1460–1517 (?)

49. The Entombment. Gift of Mrs. S. D. Warren.

GIO. FRANCESCO BARBIERI, called GUERCINO: b. Cento, 1591; d. Bologna, 1666.

50. Sta Barbara. *Estate of Mrs. Francis Brooks.*

51. Ecce Homo. *Estate of Mrs. Francis Brooks.*

SANDRO BOTTICELLI, b. 1447, d. 1510.

52. VIRGIN AND CHILD WITH ST. JOHN. Formerly in the collection of Alexander Barker, Esq., in London.

Of this picture, Dr. Waagen writes ("Galleries and Cabinets of Art in Great Britain." London, 1857; p. 72): "A work of the first class by this so unequal master. The forms have something grand about them. The expression of the heads is that of a deep and mysterious melancholy;

the execution is of great decision and mastery, and the whole in excellent keeping."

From a bequest of Sara G. Timmins.

SPANISH SCHOOL.

53. A Strolling Minstrel. } *Estate of*
54. Distribution of Alms. } *Henry Greenough.*

AGNOLO DI DONNINO.

55. Virgin and Child. *Mrs. Brimmer.*

FRANCIS SNYDERS: b. Antwerp, 1579; d. Antwerp, 1657.

56. A Boar Hunt. *J. Templeman Coolidge, 3d.*

GIAMBATTISTA TIEPOLO, b. Venice, 1696; d. Madrid, 1770.

57. "St. Helen presenting her son, the Emperor Constantine, in Heaven."

*Albert S. Ludlow, Waukesha, Wis.*

ITALIAN SCHOOL.

58. Portrait of a Girl. *James Jackson Jarves.*

Ascribed to LUINI.

59. Portrait of Peter Medici, brother of Pope Leo X.

*Mrs. S. D. Warren.*

GUIDO RENI (ascribed to): b. Bologna, 1575; d. Bologna, 1642.

60. Magdalen. *Estate of Harold Whiting.*
61. Head of St. Francis. Study for a figure in a group of saints in the Gallery at Bologna.

*Mrs. Edward T. Potter.*

HUBERT JACOBSZ, called GRIMANI: b. Delft, 1599; d. Briel, ab. 1628. Assumed in Venice the name of his patron Doge, Grimani.

62. Head of a Girl. *Athenæum. Dowse Collection.*

LUCIO MASSARI. Bolognese School: b. 1569; d. 1633.
Pupil of Passerotti and in the School of the Caracci.

63. The Entombment. Gift of Martin Brimmer.

SPANISH SCHOOL.

64. Portrait. *Dr. Henry K. Oliver.*

TUSCAN SCHOOL.

65. Head of a Dignitary. *Mrs. Brimmer.*

UNKNOWN. Ascribed to ZUCCARO.

66. Portrait of Shakespeare (?).
Cut from the wall of the old Globe tavern.
Bequest of Mrs. Harrison Gray Otis.

ASCRIBED BY THE OWNER TO VAN DYCK.

67. Portrait of Lady Middleton. *Mrs. F. Gordon Dexter.*

J. M. W. TURNER, b. London, 1775; d. there, 1851.

68. The Slave Ship.
Purchased from the Henry L. Pierce Fund.

SIR JOSHUA REYNOLDS: b. England, 1723; d. 1792.

In 1768 he was unanimously elected president of the then newly established Royal Academy of Arts, in London, and was knighted by George III. on the occasion.

69. Portrait of Mrs. Palk.
From the William Wilkins Warren bequest.

70. Portrait of a Child. *Mrs. J. S. Howe.*

71. The Banished Lord. Bequest of Stephen H. Perkins.

SIR PETER LELY: b. at Soest, 1617; d. London, Nov. 30, 1680.

73. Portrait of Lady Falconberg. From the Collection of Lady Harborough. *Mrs. C. H. Colburn.*

UNKNOWN, English.

74. Portrait of Nelson. *Dr. W. S. Bigelow.*

JOHN CONSTABLE: b. England, 1776; d. 1837.

75. Study for "The White Horse."
Purchased from the Wm. Wilkins Warren Fund.

76. Rochester Castle. Bequest of Thomas G. Appleton.

77. Landscape with Trees. *Mrs. Brimmer.*

RICHARD WILSON: b. 1713; d. 1782.

78. Italian Lake. Turner-Sargent Collection.

SIR THOMAS LAWRENCE: b. 1769; R. A., 1794; P. R. A., 1820; d. 1830.

From the time of his election as a member of the Academy, to his death, his career as a portrait painter was unrivalled; he contributed from 1787 to 1830, inclusive, three hundred and eleven pictures to the exhibitions. The portraits of the Emperor Francis, of Pius VII., and of Cardinal Gonsalvi, in the Waterloo Gallery at Windsor, are among the masterpieces of the art of portraiture.

79. Portrait of Benj. West. Beq. of Stephen H. Perkins.

GEORGE ROMNEY: b. Dalton-le-Furness, Lancashire, 1734; d. Kendal, 1802.

80. Portrait of the Duke of Cumberland.
*Denman W. Ross.*

SIR HENRY RAEBURN: b. near Edinburgh, 1756 ; d. 1823.

81. Portrait of T. P. Baillie, 1810.
From the Abbott Lawrence Fund.

JOHN OPIE, 1761–1807.

82. Portrait of Charles Dibdin.
From the Sir John Pender Collection. In the Exhibition of a "Century of British Art," Grosvenor Gallery, 1888. Purchased from the "Abbott Lawrence" fund.

SIR PETER LELY: b. in Westphalia, 1618; settled in England, 1641; d. 1680.

An imitator of Van Dyck. "The Beauties of the Court of Charles II.," at Hampton Court Palace, are among the best preserved of his works.

83. Portrait of Sir Charles Hobby.
Bequest to the *Athenæum* from Mrs. Louisa Lee Waterhouse.

CHARLES R. LESLIE: b. 1794; d. 1859.

84. Portrait of Sir Walter Scott, painted at Abbotsford in 1824, at the request of George Ticknor.
Bequest of Miss Anna E. Ticknor.

SIR GODFREY KNELLER: b. Lubeck, 1646; d. Twickenham, 1723.

85. Equestrian portrait of William III.
*J. Templeman Coolidge, Jr.*

RICHARD PARKES BONINGTON : b. England, 1801; d. 1828.

86. A Scene from Gil Blas. Bequest of T. G. Appleton.

87. The Windmill. *Josiah Bradlee.*

T. S. COTMAN.

88. Landscape. *Denman W. Ross.*

WILLIAM ETTY: b. York, 1787; d. there, 1849.

89. Reclining Figure. Estate of *John H. Sturgis.*

F. R. PICKERSGILL: b. London, 1820.

89A. Portrait of Lord Lyndhurst. *Mrs. F. Gordon Dexter.*

## IN THE HALL.

GIOVANNI PAOLO PANNINI: b. Italy, 1691; d. Rome, 1764.
Lived chiefly at Rome, where he attained great reputation by his views of ruins and other architectural subjects.

90. Interior of St. Peter's. *Athenæum.*

SPANISH SCHOOL (ascribed to Murillo).

91. Rebekah at the Well. *Athenæum.*

CRISTOFANO ALLORI: b. at Florence, 1577; d. 1621.
A pupil of his father and Pagani. An excellent portrait painter and skilful landscape artist. His paintings are not numerous.

92. Judith. (A copy.) *Athenæum.*

CARLO MARATTI: b. at Camurano, Italy, 1625; d. Rome, 1713.
After the death of Cortina and Sacchi, he was for half a century the most distinguished painter in Rome. In 1702 and 1703 he restored, with the sanction of Pope Clement XI., the frescos of Raphael in the Vatican, which had been suffered to fall into a state of decay and imminent ruin.

93. Christ and the Woman of Samaria. *Athenæum*

VASSILI VERESTCHAGIN, Russia.

94. The Private Mosque of the Great Moguls in the Palace at Delhi. Gift by Contribution.

ARY SCHEFFER: b. Dordrecht, 1795; d. 1858. (See 478.)
Officer of the Legion of Honor. A pupil of Guérin. At first a painter of *genre*, but later devoted to religious subjects.

95. Eberhart, Count of Würtemberg, mourning over the body of his son. *Athenæum.*

WILLIAM PAGE. (See 180.)

96. Holy Family. *Athenæum.*

GUSTAVE PAUL DORÉ: b. Strasburg, 1833; d. Paris, 1883.

97. Summer. Gift of Richard Baker.

LUCA GIORDANO, Naples, 1632–1705.
Pupil of Pietro da Cortona.

98. The Flaying of Marsyas. *Athenæum.*

JEAN FRANÇOIS HUÉ: b. St. Arnauld-en-Yvelines, 1751; d. Paris, 1823.

99. The Shipwreck. *Athenæum.*

FREDERIC P. VINTON.

100. Portrait of William Warren.

For Nos. 618 to 626 see page 55.

# ALLSTON ROOM.

## EARLY AMERICAN SCHOOL.

WASHINGTON ALLSTON: b. South Carolina, 1779; d. at Cambridge, Mass., 1843.

Soon after graduation from Harvard College, in 1800, he entered the Royal Academy of London. His first work of importance, "The Dead Man Revived," gained a prize of two hundred guineas from the British Institute, and was purchased by the Philadelphia Academy of Fine Arts. In 1818 he opened a studio in Boston. (See also Nos. 177 to 180, and 460 to 470.)

101. Elijah fed by the Ravens.
Gift of Mrs. and Miss Hooper.

102. Rising of a Thunder-storm at Sea, pilot boat going off to a ship. Purchased.

103. Portrait of himself; painted at Rome between 1801–1805. Bequest of Miss Alice Hooper.

104. Landscape.
Painted when at college.
Gift of Wm. H. Sumner to the *Athenæum*.

105. Portrait of Benjamin West, P. R. A.
The head painted in London, 1814; drapery and background added in 1837, Cambridge. *Athenæum*.

106. Isaac of York. Ivanhoe. *Athenæum*.

108. The Witch of Endor. *Edward G. Gardiner*.

109. Moonlight. *Wm. Sturgis Bigelow*.

110. Beatrice. *The Heirs of the late Mrs. S. A. Eliot*

111. Head of a Jew. *Athenæum*.

112. Jew's Head. *Miss Mary Amory Greene*.

113. Portrait of William Ellery Channing.
Gift of William F. Channing.

114. Portrait of Mrs. Allston. *Lent by Mrs. J. A. Jeffries.*
Nos. 115 to 124B deposited by the heirs of Washington Allston.
115. Death of King John.
116. Head of a Woman in profile.
117. Marriage Feast at Cana.
This is painted over a print of Paul Veronese's picture in the Louvre.
118. Dido and Anna.
119. Landscape.
120. Copy of Rubens's Cupid playing with the helmet of Mars.
122. Lorenzo and Jessica. A Study.
124. Belshazzar's Feast. (In the Hall.)

"It is known that Mr. Allston began the picture in London before his return to his native country, and had very nearly finished it here fifteen or twenty years ago. Being obliged to quit the room in which he worked upon it, and unable immediately to find another large enough for the purpose, the picture was rolled up and laid aside. Various circumstances prevented his resuming the work until within a few years before his death. At one period it was considered by himself as requiring not many weeks' labor to complete it. In that state it was seen by some friends, to whom it appeared a finished picture. For some reason, however, the artist thought that the effect of the composition would be improved by a change in the perspective, and, in connection with this, an enlargement of the figures in the foreground. With this view, the king, the queen, and the soothsayers were to be repainted. He undertook the labor, and the entire figure of the king, except the left foot, and the heads of the soothsayers, were erased. What progress he had made in restoring these will be readily seen, as the picture is in every respect as he left it; except that the original figure of the king, now pumiced down so as to leave little more than the first color, was found covered with a uniform coat of dead color, which completely obliterated even the outline and of the new figure he had repainted, but not finished, only the right hand."

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"Upon the head of the soothsayer, who faces the spectator, are the last touches ever made by the pencil of the artist, and but a few hours before his death." — 1845.

124 A and B. Studies for the above (in the Hall).
(See Nos. 460 to 470.)

FREDERICK WALKER: b. London, 1840; d. 1875.

125. Portrait of Washington Allston. Painted in London about 1807. Bequest of John E. Allston.

GILBERT STUART: b. Rhode Island, 1755; d. Boston, 1828.

Educated at the University of Glasgow. Pupil of Benj. West, in London. After having practised with great success as a portrait painter in London, he returned to America in 1792, and settled for a time in Philadelphia. In 1807 he removed to Boston, where he afterwards died.

126. Washington. The "Athenæum" Head.

Painted from life, in 1796. Bought after Stuart's death, of his widow, and presented to the *Boston Athenæum.*

"A letter of Stuart's which appeared in the New York *Evening Post* in 1863, attested by three gentlemen of Boston, with one from Washington, making the appointment for a sitting, proves the error long current in regard both to the dates and the number of this artist's original portraits of Washington. He there distinctly states that he executed but three from life, the first of which was so unsatisfactory that he destroyed it; the second was the picture for Lord Lansdowne; and the third, the one now belonging to the Boston Athenæum. The finishing touches were put to the one in September, 1795; to the other, at Philadelphia, in the spring of 1796. This last, it appears by a letter of Mr. Custis, which we have examined, was undertaken against the desire of Washington, and at the earnest solicitation of his wife, who wished a portrait from life of her illustrious husband, to be placed among the other family pictures at Mt. Vernon. For this express purpose, and to gratify her, the artist commenced the work, and Washington agreed to sit once more. It was left intentionally unfinished."

This painting, in which the *left* side of the face is turned to the spectator, is the third portrait mentioned above; of it over fifty copies by Stuart's hands have been traced.

The second is now in London. Of the first, painted in 1795, and subsequently rubbed out, in which the *right* side of the face was shown, only three or perhaps four copies are known to exist.

127. Martha Washington.

Painted at the same time as the above.

128. Washington at Dorchester Heights.
Presented to the city of Boston by Hon. Samuel Parkman, 1806. Painted by Stuart in nine days. Deposited in the Museum of Fine Arts for safe keeping.
*From Faneuil Hall.*

129. Gen. Henry Knox; b. 1750, d. 1806.
Deposited at the Museum of Fine Arts.
*From Faneuil Hall.*

130. Portrait of Judge Stephen Jones. *Mrs. Anne Richards.*

131. Hon. Josiah Quincy, Mayor of Boston, 1823–1829: b. 1772, d. 1864.
Presented by his daughter, Miss Eliza Susan Quincy.

132. Portrait of John Richards. *Mrs. Anne Richards.*

134. Portrait of Mrs. Richard Yates.
Ascribed by the previous owner to Stuart, but this is questionable, possibly it was painted by Ralph Earl, 1751–1801.
Purchased from the William Wilkins Warren Fund.

135. Portrait of Rev. John Sylvester Gardiner.
*Mrs. John S. Cushing.*

136. Portrait of himself. A sketch.
Bequest of Mrs. Harrison Gray Otis.

137. Portrait of Mrs. Oliver Brewster. *William Brewster.*

138. Portrait of Dr. Samuel Danforth; ob. 1829.
*Massachusetts Medical Society.*

139. Portrait of Councillor Dunn. *Mrs. Brimmer.*

G. Stuart Newton: b. 1797, at Halifax, N. S.; d. England, 1835.
Pupil of his uncle, Gilbert Stuart, in Boston. Went to England in 1818, after having visited Italy, and became a student of the Royal Academy. In 1832 became a member of the Royal Academy; but the picture exhibited in the following year, "Abelard in his Study," was his last work.

140. "Forsaken." Bequest of Thomas G. Appleton.

141. A Spanish Girl.
Purchased from the William Wilkins Warren Fund.

142. Portrait of himself.
Bequest of Mrs. Harrison Gray Otis.

143. Portrait of himself.
Purchased from the Turner-Sargent Fund.

144. The Farewell. Gift of S. P. Avery, New York.

JONATHAN B. BLACKBURN: b. Connecticut, about 1700; d. after 1760.

145. Portrait of Col. Jonathan Warner, of Portsmouth, N. H. Purchased.

JOHN NEAGLE.

146. Portrait of Gilbert Stuart. *Athenæum.*

JOHN SINGLETON COPLEY: b. Boston, Mass., 1737; d. 1815. Historical and portrait painter, of English and Irish extraction. He left Boston for Italy in 1774, having already attained eminence as a portrait painter. In 1775 he established himself in London, where he became a member of the Royal Academy in 1779. At this time he executed his masterpieces, "The Death of Lord Chatham" and "The Death of Major Peirson," both now in the National Gallery of London.

147. Portrait of John Hancock. *From Faneuil Hall.*
The ledger bears the date 1765.

148. Portrait of Samuel Adams. *From Faneuil Hall.*

149. Watson and the Shark.
Gift of Mrs. George von L. Meyer.
Depicts the rescue, in the harbor of Havana, of Brook Watson (afterward Lord Mayor of London) from a shark, but not until he had lost a leg. Watson described the incident minutely to Copley, when a fellow-passenger on the voyage to England.

150. Portrait of the Artist and his Family.
*Edward Linzee Amory.*
The artist stands behind. Before him is Mr. Richard Clarke, father of Mrs. Copley, who, seated on a sofa, caresses her son, John, the future Lord Lyndhurst, three times Lord Chancellor of England. In front stands her daughter, Elizabeth, afterward Mrs. Gardiner Greene.

150A. Study for the Family Portrait. Lord Lyndhurst and his Mother. *Miss Mary Amory Greene.*

151. Portrait of Col. Sparhawk. *Frederic H. Rindge.*

152. Portrait of General Joseph Warren. Bequest of Buckminster Brown, M. D., Warren Putnam Newcomb, Trustee.

153. Portrait of Mrs. Joseph Warren (Elizabeth Hooker). Bequest of Buckminster Brown, M. D., Warren Putnam Newcomb, Trustee.

154. Portrait of Mrs. Col. Browne. Bequest of Mrs. Elton.

155. Portrait of Mrs. Metcalf Bowler.
*Mrs. J. C. Livingston, New York.*

156 and 157. Portraits of Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah Lee, Marblehead; painted in Boston, 1769.
*Robert Ives Lee, Topeka, Kansas.*

158. Portrait of Mrs. Daniel Sargent.
*Mrs. Elizabeth H. McCalla.*

159. Sketch of Mrs. Startin, sister of Copley's wife.
*Mrs. Brimmer.*

160. Col. Fitch and his Sisters. *M. Woolsey Borland.*

161. Portrait of Judge Graham. *Mrs. F. Gordon Dexter.*

162. Portrait of John Quincy Adams; painted in 1795, when Mr. Adams was United States Minister at the Hague, as a present to Mr. and Mrs. John Adams. *Charles Francis Adams.*

163. Portrait of Mrs. Skinner. *Mrs. Brimmer.*

164. Portrait of Dorothy Quincy, wife of Gov. John Hancock. *Mrs. Stephen Bowen.*

165. Portrait of John Gray. *Miss Frances S. Rogers.*

JOHN SMIBERT: b. in Edinburgh, Scotland, 1680; d. Boston, U. S. A., 1751.

Spent three years in Italy, copying works of Titian, Rubens, and Van Dyck; then returned to London, and began portrait painting. He accompanied Bishop Berkeley to Bermuda, and settled in Boston in 1725, where he

resided, practising portrait painting until his death. He painted the portraits of the most eminent magistrates of New England and New York, of his day.

168. Judge Edmund Quincy.
Gift of the Children of Josiah Quincy.

169. Portrait of Mrs. Hannah Gardiner McSparren.
Bequest of Mrs. Elton.

JOHN TRUMBULL: b. Connecticut, 1756; d. New York, 1843.

A son of the first governor of Connecticut after the separation from Great Britain. He served for quite a period in the army of the Revolution. In 1780 he went abroad and studied for some time with Benj. West. In 1786 he produced his first considerable work, "The Death of General Warren." In 1794 he went to England as secretary to Minister Jay, and remained there ten years, and again lived there from 1808 to 1816, till his final return to the United States. He then painted the four large pictures in the Capitol at Washington. He was the first president of the American Academy of Fine Arts, founded in 1816. Resided in New Haven from 1837 to 1841.

172. The Sortie from Gibraltar, Nov. 27, 1781. *Athenæum.*
Engraved by Sharp.

173. Portrait of Alexander Hamilton.
Painted for Col. Thomas H. Perkins; by him bequeathed to Mr. Winthrop.
Bequest of Hon. Robert C. Winthrop.

174. Portrait of Stephen Minot. Gift of Miss Minot.

175. Portrait of Mrs. Stephen Minot. Gift of Miss Minot.

THOMAS SULLY: b. England, 1783; came to United States when 9 years of age; painted portraits in Charleston, Richmond, and New York, finally settling in Philadelphia. d. 1872.

177. The Torn Hat. *Miss Margaret Greene.*

BENJAMIN WEST: b. Springfield, Pa., 1738; d. 1820.

He began his career as a portait painter in Philadelphia. In 1760 he went to Rome, and remained in Italy three

years, at the end of which time he settled in England. He was almost exclusively employed by George III. for thirty years. He was one of the original members of the Royal Academy, and succeeded Sir Joshua Reynolds as its president in 1792. He exhibited two hundred and forty-nine pictures at the Royal Academy in fifty years.

178. King Lear. *Athenæum.*

WILLIAM PAGE: b. Albany, 1811; d. Tottenville, 1885.

Studied under Prof. Morse and at the National Academy. Worked in New York and Boston, and afterwards was for many years the leading American portrait painter in Rome

180. Portrait of John Quincy Adams. *From Faneuil Hall.*

FRANCIS ALEXANDER: b. Conn., 1800; painted in Boston, then in Florence; d. 1831.

181. Portrait of Mrs. Fletcher Webster.
Bequest of J. W. Paige.

182. Portrait of N. P. Willis.
Bequest of Mrs. Harrison Gray Otis.

REMBRANDT PEALE: b. Pennsylvania, 1787; d. Philadelphia, 1860.

183. Portrait of Rammohun Roy. *Athenæum.*
Painted in London, 1833.

184. Portrait of Washington.
Gift of Miss C. L. W. French.

CHARLES W. PEALE: b. Maryland, 1741; d. Philadelphia, 1827.

185. Head of Washington. Sumner Bequest.

G. P. A. HEALY: b. Boston, 1808; d. Chicago, 1894.

186. Portrait of Orestes A. Brownson. Gift of Mrs. Healy.

187. Portrait of himself.
Bequest of Mrs. Harrison Gray Otis.

188. Portrait of Longfellow.
Bequest of Mrs. Harrison Gray Otis.

WILLIAM WILLARD.

191. Portrait of Charles Sumner. *The Artist.*

# DUTCH ROOM.

## DUTCH, FLEMISH, AND GERMAN SCHOOLS.

REMBRANDT VAN RYN: b. Leyden, 1607; d. Amsterdam, 1669.

195 and 196. Portraits of Dr. Nicholaus Tulp and his wife — signed and dated 1634.

Dutuit *L'Œuvre Complet de Rembrandt*, p. 52.

Gift of Frederick Lothrop Ames.

REMBRANDT (School of).

197. Danæ and the Shower of Gold. *Mrs. Francis Brooks.*

WILLEM KALF: b. 1630; d. 1693.

198. Fruit and Vegetables.

Upon a table covered with an olive cloth are grouped fruits and vegetables, rendered with extraordinary vigor and truth. On the left, seven quinces, some of which are still attached to the branch; on the right, gourds and melons, and two bunches of asparagus. Behind, two willow baskets hold peaches, nectarines, plums, bunches of white and black grapes, and branches of plum-tree, figs and mulberries, loaded with fruit. Very fine piece of painting. Engraved in *L'Art* by Em. Salmon.

Canvas: height, 0 m. 82 cent.; width, 0 m. 95 cent.

From a bequest of Sidney Bartlett.

SIMON VERELST: entered in 1666 in the Association of Artists at the Hague: d. London, about 1721.

199. Still Life.

A dead partridge is suspended by a string tied to its claw the left wing broken; below, a kingfisher lying upon the table. Verelst, whose principal compositions are highly prized in the English collections, is an artist of very

great talent, who has been surpassed by no one in the line to which he specially devoted himself. He reproduced the plumage of birds and their multiple harmonies with the most extraordinary fidelity. Signed in full upon the table.

Canvas: height, 0 m. 74 cent.; width, 0 m. 61 cent.

Gift by subscription, 1890.

DIRK VAN DEELAN: (?) b. in Hensden about 1607; d. at Arnemuyden, Zeeland, 1673.

200. The Lute Player.

The Turner-Sargent Collection.

JOHN DAVID DE HEEM: b. Utrecht, 1600 (?); d. Antwerp, 1683 (?).

201. Hock Glass and Fruit.

*Estate of Mrs. Francis Brooks.*

ADRIEN VAN DER VELDE: b. Amsterdam, 1635 (?); d. there, 1672.

203. Landscape, with Cattle.

The Turner-Sargent Collection.

HANS HOLBEIN (attributed to): b. Augsburg, 1498; d. in London, 1554.

German school. A *protégé* at Basle of the printer Auerbach, whose editions he enriched with remarkable compositions, and of Erasmus, of whom he made an excellent portrait, he quickly acquired a great reputation. On his going to England, Erasmus intrusted him with his portrait for Sir Thomas More, his friend, and added a hearty letter of recommendation. He arrived in England in 1525. The High Chancellor received him with distinction, lodged him in his palace, occupied him for three years, and presented him to the king, Henry VIII., who appointed him the royal painter, and covered him with honors. He died at London, 1554, of the plague.

204. A Donor and his two patron saints, Peter with the keys, Paul with a sword. German school of the first half of the sixteenth century. Attributed to Hans Holbein the younger.

This picture was bought at Leipsic, where it had been in the possession of one family for a couple of centuries, by a young American, who took it to Berlin and submitted it to the judgment of an expert, by whom it was pronounced to be an original by Holbein.

So many false attributions of pictures to famous painters have, however, been made, even by the best connoisseurs, that it is well to avoid positiveness in such matters. The picture is certainly a most excellent representative of the school of Holbein, if it be not by the master himself. Every part, even to the most minute accessories, is highly finished; the shadows are transparent; the robe of St. Peter and the missal rich in color; the subdued arabesques in the background charming in taste; and lastly, the hands, like those painted by Holbein, are so literally rendered that their truth to life can only be appreciated by looking at them with a magnifying-glass.

Between the head of the donor and the heads of the saints, there is a strange disproportion in respect to size, which, more than anything else in this picture, would inspire doubt as to its having been painted by the great artist of Augsburg and Basle. The heads of the saints are not unworthy of him; that of St. Paul is intellectual and refined, and that of St. Peter, though of a somewhat common type, is full of sentiment.

*Athenæum.*

HANS HOLBEIN (attributed to).

205. Portrait of a Man. Sumner bequest.

PETER PAUL RUBENS: b. Westphalia, 1577; d. Antwerp, 1640.

Studied in Antwerp; resided in Italy and Spain, 1600–1608; afterwards settled in Antwerp, and died there, 1640. In 1625 he completed the celebrated series of pictures for the palace of the Luxembourg, now in the

Louvre, commemorating the marriage of Marie de Medicis and Henry IV. of France. In 1628 he was sent on a diplomatic mission to Philip IV. of Spain by the Infanta Isabella, and in the following year he was sent on a similar mission to Charles I. of England, by whom he was knighted in 1630. He died possessed of immense wealth, and was buried with extraordinary pomp in the church of St. Jacques, in Antwerp. His pictures are exceedingly numerous, amounting to several thousands, but many of them were painted from his sketches by his scholars.

"Rubens," says Sir Joshua Reynolds, "was perhaps the greatest master in the mechanical part of the art, the best workman with his tools, that ever exercised a pencil. . . . His animals, particularly his lions and horses, are so admirable that it may be said they were never properly represented but by him. His portraits rank with the best works of the painters who have made that branch of the art the sole business of their lives. The same may be said of his landscapes. Rubens's masterpiece is generally considered 'The Descent from the Cross,' at Antwerp. He is still seen to great advantage at Antwerp; but probably the best idea of his great and versatile powers is conveyed by the collection at Munich, in which are ninety-five of his works, several of them masterpieces."

206. Marriage of St. Catherine with the Infant Christ.

A study for the great altar-piece in the Church of the Augustinians, Antwerp.

Portraits of the artist and members of his household are introduced.

The painting is fresh, well preserved, and bears unquestionable evidence of the master's hand throughout.

Purchased from the Moses Kimball Bequest.

207. Bacchus with Attendant Faun and Satyr.
Probably a copy. Purchased 1879.

208. Madonna and Child.

A study for a triptych in the Antwerp Museum; the paint-

ing of the flesh tints by the hand of the master, portions of the painting probably by a pupil.

*Edward W. Hooper.*

DAVID VINCKENBOOMS: b. Mechlin, 1578; d. Amsterdam, 1629.

209. A Fight with Death. Sumner Bequest.

PEETER NEEFFS.

Doubtful whether the elder, b. Antwerp, about 1580; d. after 1656; — or the younger, b. 1620; d. after 1675.

211. Interior of a Church. *Mrs. T. O. Richardson.*

DUTCH SCHOOL.

212. Evening Landscape. *Athenæum.*

NICHOLAS MAAS: b. at Dordrecht, 1632; d. at Amsterdam, 1693.

213. The Jealous Husband.

A middle-aged man, driven by jealousy, leaves his study and descends the stairs softly to surprise his wife, who is talking with a young man in a room on the ground floor. Very fine example of the master; a picture worthy of his two celebrated compositions of "The Listener," one of which is at Buckingham Palace, and the other in the gallery of the Duke of Wellington, London.

On wood: 0 m. 70 cent.; width, 0 m. 50 cent.

Gift by subscription, 1890.

ADAM PYNACKER: b. near Delft, 1621; d. Amsterdam, 1673.

214. Landscape. Bequest of Mrs. M. B. Sigourney.

ROGIER VAN DER WEYDEN: b. Tournay, 1399 (?); d. Brussels, 1464.

215. St. Luke, the Evangelist, Drawing the Portrait of the Madonna. From the collection of the Duc de Durcal.

Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Higginson.

GABRIEL METSU: b. at Leyden, 1615; d. Amsterdam, 1668.

216. The Usurer.

In a sombre room a widow hands a parchment, with seals attached, to an old man. A little basket holding paper-

hangs upon her left arm, and in her right hand she holds a handkerchief with which she dries her tears. The old man, seated before a table covered with a red-striped cloth and heaped up with money and precious objects, wears a red cap. In his left hand he holds a piece of money, which he was preparing to weigh in the scales when interrupted by the entrance of the woman. He remains untouched by the despair which she exhibits. On the left a green curtain. This picture, of very fine harmony, broad touch, and great spirit of observation, is signed in full, and has been engraved by Leopold Flameng.

Canvas: height, 0 m. 72 cent.; width, 0 m. 65 cent.

From a bequest of Sidney Bartlett.

D. VAN SANTVOORT: b. Amsterdam, 1610; d. there, 1680.

217. Portrait of a Lady. Gift of Denman W. Ross.

SIMON DE VLIEGER: b. Rotterdam, ab. 1600; d. Amsterdam. ab. 1660.

218. Marine. Bequest of Chas. Sumner.

ARTIST UNKNOWN.

219. John Eliot, the Apostle to the Indians.

Gift of Miss Rose Standish Whiting.

CORNELIS HUYSMAN, of Mechlin: b. Antwerp, 1684; d. Mechlin, 1727.

220. Landscape. *Dr. Henry J. Bigelow.*

JACQUES D'ARTHOIS: b. Brussels, bap. 1613; d. after 1684.

221. Landscape with Figures.

Gift of Mrs. Francis Brooks.

DAVID TENIERS: b. at Antwerp, 1610; d. at Brussels, 1694.

222. The Interior of a Butcher's Shop.

In the foreground at the right, a young and pretty girl is cleaning the lungs and liver of an enormous ox suspended at the centre of the picture. She is seen in profile turned to the right, and looking in the opposite direction to watch a dog who is drinking the blood which has fallen into a pan placed under the ox. The butcher is passing out by a door in the background on

the right, where are seen near a fireplace the master of the house and a servant. The head of the animal is placed upon a bench. On the left the hide is thrown in a heap upon the floor, and the tongue is hung upon the wall. A wild duck, a cabbage leaf, and some household utensils complete this strikingly realistic picture, in which Teniers shows his skill in reproducing everything with that scrupulous exactitude and facility of execution, that delicacy, and that power of harmony which distinguish him in such a high degree. This vigorous painting — model of finished work — was etched by the master himself. Signed in full below at the right. Smith, Catalogue raisonné, Vol. III., p. 397. No. 517.

On wood: height, 0 m. 67 cent.; width, 0 m. 90 cent.

From a bequest of Sidney Bartlett.

223. Landscape, with Men before an Inn.

The Turner-Sargent Collection.

224. The Alchemist "La Grimoire d' Hippocrate."

*Mrs. Francis Brooks.*

ALBERT CUYP. (See 239.)

225. Portrait of his Daughter. Bequest of Chas. Sumner.

GASPARD NETSCHER: b. at Heidelberg, 1636; d. 1684.

226. Lady playing a guitar.

The Turner-Sargent Collection.

227. Soap-bubbles.

Two young children are amusing themselves blowing soap-bubbles from a window, decorated on the outside with two allegorical caryatides of Freedom and Servitude, and with a bas-relief representing cupids playing. The little boy, sitting upon the window-seat, holds a pipe in his hand and watches the ascent of one of the bubbles. The little girl, inside, holds a shell with the soapsuds. A curtain, partly lifted, discloses some pieces of furniture in the room. Canvas: height, 0 m. 48 cent.; width, 0 m. 40 cent.

Gift by subscription, 1890.

JAN VAN HUYSUM: b. at Amsterdam, 1682; d. there, 1749.

228. Vase of Flowers.

A vase of sculptured marble, on which are represented children wrestling, stands in a niche upon a griotte marble bracket, and holds a superb bunch of roses, narcissus, hyacinths, primroses, and peonies, with poppy buds at the top, just ready to open. A rose upon which rests a butterfly, and a peony with broken stalk, hang over the edge of the vase. Very important work of the master. Signed in full, on the right, upon the plinth.

Height: 0 m. 98 cent.; width, 0 m. 79 cent.

From a bequest of Stanton Blake.

SOLOMON VAN RUISDAEL: b. Haarlem, 1600; d. 1670.

229. The Ford. *The Heirs of Mrs. B. D. Greene.*

FLEMISH SCHOOL.

230. Portrait of a Man. *Mrs. Chas. C. Perkins.*

JAN VAN GOYEN: b. at Leyden, 1596; d. the Hague, 1656.

231. River in Holland, with fishing boats. *Mrs. McCalla.*

ROSA DI TIVOLI (Philipp Peter Roos), b. Frankfort, 1655; d. Rome, 1705.

232. Landscape with Goats.

Gift of Edward Wheelwright.

GERMAN SCHOOL.

233. Deposition from the Cross. Bequest of Chas. Sumner.

G. HONTHORST (Gherardo dalle Notti): b. Utrecht, 1592; d. 1662.

234. Italian Mountebank. *Estate of Dr. Henry J. Bigelow.*

JACOB VAN RUYSDAEL: b. at Haarlem, 1625; d. there, 1681.

235. Skirt of the Forest. [1121.]

A marsh extends over all the foreground and in the distance towards the right, enclosed by banks covered with a luxuriant vegetation. The forest begins on the left, and the foliage of the beech, tinged with yellow by the rays of the sun, detaches itself from the darker foliage of the oak and alders. A man is fishing with a rod, and some ducks swim in the water filled with snags and weeds. Landscape full of grandeur, and executed in the most skilful manner. Signed with a monogram.

Canvas: height, 0 m. 57 cent.; width, 0 m. 72 cent.

Gift by subscription, 1890.

JACOB VAN RUYSDAEL (1625–1681) *and* PHILIP WOUWERMAN (1620–1668).

236. The Ruined Cottage.

In the centre of the composition, near a tumble-down cottage which rises beside a sandy and rough road, a horseman has just alighted. A farm boy, who is looking at a little dog, holds the horse, which is a dappled gray. Before the hut, a valet seated on the ground keeps watch upon another dog and the baggage of the traveller. At the left, where the road forks, a man and a woman are resting in a meadow. On the right, a path leads to a field and to a farm-house surrounded by trees. The sky is filled with clouds, which seem to presage bad weather, but the rays of the sun dissipate them here and there, and strike upon the traveller. The figures are by Philip Wouwerman. This picture, of high rank in the works of the artist, figured at the celebrated exhibition of "Treasures of Art" at Manchester, the label of which is upon the back. Described with the greatest praise by Burger in his "Treasures of Art Exhibited at Manchester."

Canvas stretched on wood: height, 0 m. 42 cent.; width, 0 m. 51 cent.

From a bequest of Sidney Bartlett.

RUYSDAEL, JACOB VAN (after).

237. Copy of a Landscape by, and figures by Berghem.

*Athenæum.*

WILLEM VAN DE VELDE: b. Amsterdam, 1633; d. 1707.

A pupil of Wynants.

238. Sea Piece. Bequest of Stephen H. Perkins.

ALBERT CUYP: b. at Dordrecht, 1605; d. at that place, 1691.

239. Dordrecht.

In a meadow near the Meuse, a brown cow with a white head is smelling of some thistles. In the centre, a yellow cow, and a black one with white spots; beyond are lying a red cow and two others partly concealed, with a red cow spotted with white as keynote, turned toward the river, which is rippled by small boats. In the dis-

tance, Dordrecht in silhouette, the buildings of which are seen in profile against a sky gilded by the rays of a beautiful sunset. Very fine example of the master; a painting full of spirit, luminous, and with that free yet loaded brush which places Cuyp above all praise.

Wood: height, 0 m 51 cent.; width, 0 m. 70 cent.

*Athenæum.*

JAMES KIERINCX: b. Utrecht, 1590; d. Amsterdam, 1646.

He painted landscapes of considerable celebrity, in which the figures were inserted by Poelenburg. He went to England in the reign of Charles I., and accompanied that monarch to Scotland.

240. The Ferry.

Presented by the heirs of the late J. A. Blanchard.

MICHIEL JANSZEN MIEREVELT: b. in Delft, 1567; d. there, 1641.

241. Portrait of Madam van Dorp. Signed and dated 1610.

Purchased from income of a fund bequeathed by Mrs. James.

ANTHONY VAN DYCK: b. Antwerp, 1599; d. London, 1641.

242. Deposition from the Cross.

*Mrs. A. B. Blodgett, New York.*

Probably of the FLEMISH SCHOOL. Ascribed in Spain to DOMENICO TEOSCOPOLI, called IL GRECO: b. in Greece, about 1548; d. in Toledo, Spain, 1625. Pupil of Titian.

243. Saint Luke. *Mrs. Phebe A. Hearst, Washington.*

REMBRANDT. (Copy of.)

244. Portrait of himself. *Athenæum.*

GEERAARD SEGHERS: b. Antwerp, about 1591; d. there, 1651.

245. The Crucifixion. Bequest of Mrs. Edmund Dwight.

PETER BOËL: b. Antwerp, 1625; d. 1680.

Pupil of Snyders and of De Waal. Worked in Rome, Geneva, and Antwerp. His subjects were generally fruit, animals, and flowers. Became court painter in France after the death of Nicasius.

246. Flower Piece. *Athenæum.*

JOSEF ISRAELS: b. Gröningen, 1824.

247. Sweet Home. *William R. Wilson.*

## FOURTH PICTURE GALLERY.

GEORGE DE FOREST BRUSH.

250. Mother and Child.
Purchased from the William Wilkins Warren Fund.

DENNIS MILLER BUNKER: b. New York, 1861; d. Boston, 1890.

251. Jessica. Gift by Contribution.

252. Meadow Lands. Gift of Miss Susan Upham.

EDMUND C. TARBELL.

253. Girl with a Teacup. *The Artist.*

WILTON LOCKWOOD.

254. Portrait of J. B. Tileston. *The Artist.*

JAMES MCNEILL WHISTLER: b. Lowell, 1834; now resident in Paris.

256. Little Rose. Painted at Lime Regis, England.
Purchased from the Wm. W. Warren Fund.

257. Head of a Blacksmith. Lime Regis, England, 1896.
Purchased from the Wm. W. Warren Fund.

258. Sea-piece. *Mrs. Brimmer.*

MRS. PHŒBE A. JENKS.

259. Portrait of Rev. Charles F. Thwing. *The Artist.*

JOSEF ISRAELS: b. Gröningen, 1824.

260. The Convalescent. Gift of Geo. A. Goddard.

NARCISSE DIAZ DE LA PEÑA: b. Bordeaux, 1808; d. Mentone, 1876.

262. Nymph Bathing. *Miss Jane Hunt.*

263. The Lute Player. *Josiah Bradlee.*

264. A Turkish Café. Bequest of Thomas G. Appleton.

THOMAS COUTURE: b. Senlis, 1815; d. Villiers le Bel, 1879.

Pupil of Gros and of Delaroche: Chevalier of the Legion of Honor.

265. A Family Group. (A sketch.) Purchased from the James Fund.

THEODORE ROUSSEAU: b. Paris, 1812; d. Barbison, 1867.

266. Landscape: Cows Drinking at a Pool.
Bequest of Thomas G. Appleton.

CONSTANT TROYON: b. Sèvres, 1810; d. Paris, 1865.

267. Landscape with Sheep.
Bequest of Thomas G. Appleton.

FRANÇOIS SAINT BONVIN: b. Vaugirard, 1817.

268. The Little Savoyard. *Josiah Bradlee.*

JEAN LOUIS ERNEST MEISSONIER.

269. The Guardroom. *Mrs. H. P. Kidder.*

FRANCISCO JOSÉ DE GOYA, b. at Fuendetodos, Aragon, Mar. 30, 1746; d. at Bordeaux, April 15, 1848.

270. A Street Brawl. *Dr. W. S. Bigelow.*

JEAN LÉON GÉROME: b. Vesoul, 1824.

271. Greek Slave. Gift of Geo. A. Goddard.

THEODORE ROUSSEAU.

272. Landscape. *F. L. Higginson*

ANTOINE VOLLON: b. Lyons, 1838.

273. River with a Bridge. *Josiah Bradlee.*

SARAH W. WHITMAN.

277. Portrait of Mr. Brimmer. *Mrs. Brimmer.*

JEAN FRANÇOIS MILLET. (See 261.)

278. Les Moissonneurs. *Mrs. Brimmer.*

279. The Knitting Lesson. *Mrs. Brimmer.*

280. Washerwomen. *Mrs. Brimmer.*

281. Rabbits in the Early Morning. *Mrs. Brimmer.*

W. S. HAZELTINE.

282. A Court Yard in Taormina. *Mrs. Brimmer.*

JOHN CROME. Norwich, England, 1769–1821.

283. View over Norwich. *Mrs. Brimmer.*

JOHN B. JOHNSTON, Boston.

285. The Newborn Calf.

286. Landscape, with Cattle. Gift of Artists of Boston.

WILLIAM M. HUNT (see No. 362).

287. Marguerite. *Mrs. Brimmer.*

WALTER GAY, Paris.

289. Monk Reading. *The Artist.*

290. Le Remouleur. *Mrs. Brimmer.*

291. Industry. *Josiah Bradlee.*

JEAN FRANÇOIS MILLET.

292. Preparing the Ground.

First of a series of four — Sowing, Reaping, and Threshing. *F. L. Higginson.*

WINSLOW HOMER: b. Boston, 1836.

293. The Fog Warning. From the Otis Norcross Fund.

WILLIAM GRAHAM.

294. A Rainy Day in Venice.

Bequest of Miss Mary S. Felton.

R. H. FULLER: b. Boston.

295. Landscape. Gift of George A. Goddard.

MARY L. MACOMBER.

296. St. Catherine. Gift of the Artist.

CHARLES E. JACQUE.

297. Farmyard — feeding the hens. *F. L. Higginson.*

FERDINAND VICTOR EUGÈNE DELACROIX: b. near Paris, 1798; d. Paris, 1863.

298. The Lion Hunt, painted in 1858. Once in the Borie Collection, Philadelphia.

Purchased from the Sylvanus A. Denio Fund.

299. Pietà.

A MEMORIAL TO MARTIN BRIMMER.

SCIPIONE VANNUTELLI: b. Rome. Contemporary.

300. Au Incroyable. *Mrs. Brimmer.*

ADOLPH SCHREYER: b. 1828, in Frankfort-on-the-Main; d. in Paris, 1895.

301. The Halt at the Fountain.
Given in memory of Wm. G. Russell, by his children, Mrs. Roger N. Allen, Marion Russell, and Thomas Russell.

WM. BABCOCK.

302. Flowers. *Mrs. Frederick Frothingham.*

303. Figures. *Josiah Bradlee.*

304. French Peasant. *Mrs. Frederick Frothingham.*

ELIHU VEDDER, Rome: b. New York, 1836.

305. The Lair of the Sea Serpent.
Bequest of Thomas G. Appleton.

306. Italian Landscape. Bequest of Chas. Sumner.

307. The Sphinx.
308. The Fisherman and the Djinn. } *Mrs. Brimmer.*
309. The Roc's Egg, 1868.

310. Dominican Friars. *Miss Jane Hunt.*

T. H. HOTCHKISS.

311. Cypresses on Monte Mario, 1868.

312. Cypresses and Convent at San Miniato, Florence.

CHARLES WALTER STETSON.

313. A Pagan Procession. *Isaac C. Bates, Providence.*

JOHN LAFARGE: b. New York, 1835.

314. Halt of the Wise Men. Gift of Edward Hooper.

NARCISSE DIAZ DE LA PEÑA.

315. Figure. *F. L. Higginson.*

W. ROELOFS.

316. Landscape, Holland. *William R. Wilson.*

B. J. BLOMMERS.

317. Dutch Interior. *William R. Wilson.*

J. J. ENNEKING.

318. Landscape. *The Artist.*

319. Portrait of George Fuller. *The Artist.*

FREDERIC P. VINTON.

320. Portrait of Mrs. Rufus B. Kinsley.
*Mrs. Frederick H. Prince.*

MRS. DORA WHEELER KEITH.

321. Portrait of James Russell Lowell. *The Artist.*

ELIHU VEDDER.

322. Death of Abel. *F. L. Higginson.*

ABBOTT H. THAYER.

324. Portrait Head of a Girl.
*Miss Mary Amory Greene.*

ACHILLE FRANÇOIS OUDINOT: b. at Damigny, 1820; d. 1891.

325. The Ferryman.
*Frederick R. Sears, Jr.*

MRS. LILLA CABOT PERRY.

326. Portrait of a Lady holding an Orchid. *The Artist.*

ADELAIDE COLE CHASE.

327. Portrait of Wm. Bliss. *The Artist.*

I. H. CALIGA.

328. Portrait of George Byron Gordon, the Explorer.
*I. H. Caliga.*

# FIFTH PICTURE GALLERY.

JEAN BAPTISTE COROT: b. Paris, 1796; d. 1875.

Studied under Michallon and Victor Berlin, and then passed several years in Italy.

350. Dante and Virgil entering the Infernal Regions.
Gift of Quincy A. Shaw.

351. Forest of Fontainbleau.

Exhibited at the Salon of 1846. The next year Corot was decorated with the Cross of the Legion of Honor.
Gift of Mrs. S. D. Warren.

352. Landscape after Sunset. Bequest of J. W. Paige.

353. Landscape with Willows. *Mrs. Brimmer.*

354. Nymphs bathing, — an unfinished landscape.
Gift of James Davis.

355. Près Gisors.
Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Frothingham.

356. Portrait of the Sculptor, Rude.
Gift of Mrs. S. D. Warren.

357. Landscape with Goats, Sunset.
*Francis L. Higginson.*

ABBOTT H. THAYER: b. Boston, 1849.

358. Formerly called "Caritas."

This picture was awarded the prize of the William L. Elkins Fund, at the exhibition of the Philadelphia Academy, 1895-6. It has since in great measure been repainted.
Purchased from the Wm. W. Warren Fund

ALEXIS VAVIN.

359. The End of the Afternoon, Antibes.
*Edward W. Emerson.*

ÉMILE LAMBINET: b. Versailles, 1815; d. Bougival, 1878.

360. Under the Willows. Bequest of J. W. Paige.

JOHN W. ALEXANDER.

361. Isabella and the Pot of Basil.
Gift of Ernest W. Longfellow.

WILLIAM M. HUNT: b. Brattleboro, Vt., 1824; d. 1879.

In 1846 entered the Academy of Düsseldorf, and afterwards studied under Couture and Millet. For three years exhibited at the Paris Salon. During the last years of his life his studio was at Boston.

362. Portrait of himself. 1866.
Purchased from the Sylvanus A. Denio Fund.
363. Girl Reading. Gift of Mrs. Chas. W. Dabney.
364. Portrait of himself, painted in Paris, 1849.
Gift of William Babcock.
365. Peasant Girl at Barbizon. *Mrs. Brimmer.*
366. Head of "Sleep" for Anahita. *Miss Jane Hunt.*
367. Twin Lambs.
368. Portrait of W. H. Gardiner. *Edward G. Gardiner.*
370. Original Study for "Anahita" (on a tea tray).
Gift of Miss Jane Hunt.

HENRI A. L. LAURENT-DESROUSSEAUX.

373. The Morning Watch. *Mrs. Lilla Cabot Perry.*

JEAN FRANÇOIS MILLET. (See 261.)

374. The Shepherdess. Gift of S. D. Warren.
375. Portrait of Himself. Painted about 1842. See Sensier, *La vie de J. F. M.*, p. 76.
Gift by Contribution.
376. Homestead at Gréville.
Gift of Rev. and Mrs. Frederic Frothingham.

JOHN S. SARGENT.

378. Portrait of the Son of Augustus St. Gaudens.
*Mrs. Augustus St. Gaudens.*

WINSLOW HOMER, b. Boston, 1836.

379. The Lookout—"All 's Well."
Purchased from the Wm. Wilkins Warren Fund.

WM. MORRIS HUNT.

380. Storm off Manchester. *Quincy A. Shaw.*

J. L. A. T. GÉRICAULT : b. Rouen, 1791; d. Paris, 1824.

381. Study of a Cuirassier, dated 1818.
Gift of S. D. Warren.

HENRI REGNAULT: b. Paris, 1843; died on the field of Buzenval, Jan. 19, 1871.
Pupil of Lamothe and Cabanel.

382. Automedon with the Horses of Achilles.
Gift by contribution.

383. Also the sketch for the Automedon.
Gift of Edward Brandus.

LÉON AUGUSTIN LHERMITTE: b. Mont-Saint-Père, 1844.

384. The Supper at Emmaus, or L'Ami des Humbles.
Gift of J. Randolph Coolidge.

FRANÇOIS LOUIS FRANÇAIS : b. Plombières, 1814.
A pupil of C. Vernet and Gulvin.

385. Wood Interior. Gift of E. D. Boit.

HORACE VERNET : b. Paris, 1789; d. Paris, 1863.

386. Study for Judith, painted at Rome, 1830.
Gift of Mrs. S. D. Warren.

W. L. PICKNELL: b. Vermont, 1854 ; d., Marblehead, 1897.

387. Sand Dunes of Essex. Gift to the Museum.

CÉSAR DE COCK, b. in Ghent in 1823.

388. On the River Epte, Gasny, France.
*Dr. H. K. Oliver.*

JOHN LESLIE BRECK: b. April 10, 1860; d. Boston, March 18, 1899.

389. Autumn in Giverny. *Mrs. Ellen F. Rice.*

MOSES WIGHT: b. Boston, 1827; d. Paris, 1895.

390. Portrait of Alexander von Humboldt at the age of 82.
Bequest of the Artist.

GEORGE FULLER: b. Deerfield, Mass., 1822; d. Boston, 1884.

391. Arethusa. A gift by contribution.

LUDWIG KNAUS: b. Weisbaden, Oct. 10, 1829.
392. The Bee Farmer. *Mrs. E. J. LeFavor.*

EUGENE FROMENTIN, 1820–1876.
393. Khan in Algiers. Bequest of J. W. Paige.

GEORGES MICHEL.
394. Landscape. *John H. Sturgis.*

THOMAS COUTURE. (See No. 265.)
395. Study for the "Volunteers of 1792."
Presented by the contribution of several persons.
396. Head of a Bacchante. Gift by contribution.
397. Portrait of Mme. Couture.
Gift of Mrs. S. D. Warren.
398. Portrait Head. *J. T. Coolidge, 3d.*

NARCISSE DIAZ DE LA PEÑA.
399. Wood interior. Bequest of J. W. Paige.
400. Wood interior. Gift by contribution.

GEORGE INNESS: b. Newburgh, N. Y., 1825; d. Scotland, 1894.
402. The Rising Storm. Gift of George Higginson.

ANTON MAUVE: b. Zaandam; d. 1888.
403. Cattle grazing. *Mrs. Franklin Gibbs.*

THOMAS ROBINSON: b. Nova Scotia, 1835.
404. Cattle Ploughing. Gift by contribution.

JULES DUPRÉ: b. at Nantes in 1812.
405. Landscape with Oak Trees. *F. L. Higginson.*
406. Landscape — three trees in foreground.
*F. L. Higginson.*

CHARLES FRANÇOIS DAUBIGNY.
407. Au bord de la mer. Study. *F. L. Higginson.*

LÉON BONNAT: b. Bayonne, 1833.
408. Portrait of Henry L. Pierce.
Gift of Charles Frost Aldrich and Talbot Aldrich.

## IN THE SOUTHERN CORRIDOR.

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HENRI LEROLLE: b. Paris.

Pupil of Lamothe. Medal, first-class, 1880.

410. By the Riverside (1881). Gift of Francis C. Foster.

A photogravure of this painting, by Goupil & Cie, was published in the Gallery of Contemporary Art, Gebbie & Co.

H. THOMPSON.

411. A Picardy Idyll. *Roswell Douglas Sawyer.*

J. FOXCROFT COLE.

412. A Normandy Pastoral : near Honfleur.
Purchased by contribution.

JOHN S. SARGENT: b. Florence, 1856.

413. El Jaleo. *T. Jefferson Coolidge.*

JOSEPH LINDON SMITH.

419. Sixteen Water Colors.
Lent by *Denman W. Ross.*

Five Water Colors. Lent by *The Artist.*

B. DE BLOIS.

421. Winter Evening. *The Artist.*

TIZIANO VECELLIO (Ascribed to).

424. Marriage of St. Catherine. *C. C. Felton.*

GIOVANNI PAOLO PANNINI. (See 90.)

425. Roman Picture Gallery. *Athenæum.*

CHARLES SPRAGUE PEARCE.

426. The Widow. *The Artist.*

ROBERT BARRETT BROWNING: b. England, 1848.

427. Solitude. Gift of Mrs. Bloomfield H. Moore.

# WATER COLORS, DRAWINGS, Etc.

## DRAWINGS.

WILLIAM MORRIS HUNT. (See 363.)

Charcoals and Crayons.

Numbers 430A–H were purchased at the Hunt Sale and of the Estate.

430 A. The Quarry.

430 B. Washing by the River.

430 C. Study of Clouds.

430 D. Landscape, with Water.

430 E. Merrimack River.

430 F. River Landscape.

430 G. Harbor View.

430 H. Sunrise on the St. John's River.

431 A–C. *Miss H. M. Knowlton.*

432. The Singers. *Mrs. Hunt.*

433. Butterflies.

434. Twilight at Magnolia.

435. Baseball.

436. Horseman in Mexico.

437. Portrait of Milton H. Sanford.
Gift of Mrs. Geo. W. Long.

437A. Fortune at the Helm. Gift of Miss Jane Hunt.

J. FOXCROFT COLE: b. Jay, Maine, 1837; d. Boston, 1892.

438. Sixteen studies of sheep, goats and dogs. Sixteen other studies are hung in the lower corridor.
Gift of Mrs. Adelaide Cole Chase.

DR. WILLIAM RIMMER, Milton, 1816–1879.

439, 440. Twelve Drawings in two frames. Purchased.

Young Lioness.
Young Lion.
Lion and Mouse.
Dante and the Lion.
Head of an Old Lion.
Evening — "Fall of Day."
The Soothsayer.
Achilles, Iliad, Book IV.

Warriors in Camp.
"Victory."
A Dead Soldier.

441. Evening — "Fall of Day" (Pastel).

442. Struggle between North and South, 1860.
Gift of Edward C. Cabot,

443. Dedicated to the 54th Regiment Mass. Vols.
*Wm. R. Ware.*

J. B. POTTER: holder of the "Paris Scholarship."

444. Portrait Head, drawing.

H. D. MURPHY.

445. Pen and Ink Drawing.

GEORGE DU MAURIER, London: b. 1834; d. 1896.

446. Anniversary of a Wedding Day at a Suburban Villa.
Gift of Denman W. Ross.

447. "And now let us Talk of Something Else."
Gift of Denman W. Ross.

F. A. MORITZ RETZSCH.

448. The Rest in Egypt. Gift of John A. Higginson.

G. STUART NEWTON. (See 140–144.)
Sketches made when a pupil of the Royal Academy, 1817.

449. Samuel Rogers.

450. H. Fuseli.

F. O. C. DARLEY: b. Philadelphia, 1822.

451. Drawing. Gift of Nathan Appleton.

SAMUEL W. ROWSE.

452. Portrait of a Lady (charcoal).
Bequest of James Russell Lowell.

FRANÇOIS LOUIS FRANÇAIS.

453. Douarnenez Finistère, 1868. Gift of E. D. Boit.
India Ink.

DAVID COX: b. n. Birmingham, 1783; d. 1859.

454. Landscape with Cattle. Sepia. *The Athenæum.*

RAPHAEL MENGS: b. Aussig, 1728; d. Rome, 1779.

455. The Entombment. A very careful drawing in black and white crayon, 4 feet by 5 feet 2 inches.

Mengs was at work upon this drawing at the time of his death, as the inscription records.

*Mrs. Geo. H. Chickering.*

PAUL DELAROCHE: b. Paris, 1797; d. Paris, 1856.

456. Christ the Hope and Support of the Afflicted. A Cartoon. See Isaiah, ch. 41, v. 13. "For I, the Lord thy God, will hold thy right hand, saying unto thee, Fear not; I will help thee."

The first drawing of this composition was made at Eisenach in 1847, and given by the artist to the Duchess of Orleans. In 1851 Delaroche painted a sketch from a tracing of the original drawing (6 x 8 inches), which was purchased at the sale of his works at Paris in 1857 for $1,550, and is now in the Belmont Gallery at New York. At the time of his death, Delaroche had begun to put the composition upon canvas, figures life-size. Property of the *Athenæum*.

JEAN FRANÇOIS MILLET. (See 261.)

457-58. Twenty-one Drawings, Water Colors, etc., in two frames. Gift of Martin Brimmer.

Pen and Ink.

Landscape, with Farm Buildings.
Landscape, " près Cusset."
Landscape, " Vichy, 12 juin 1886."
Landscape, with Culvert.

Water Color.

Landscape, with Rocky Stream.
Landscape, with Gate. Vichy.
Landscape — Road " près Cusset."
Landscape, with Pool.
Landscape, with Church.

Crayon.

Landscape, — trees in foreground; in background figures bearing fagots.
Shepherdess and Sheep grazing.
Shepherd Girl knitting.
Water-Carrier.
Woman feeding a Child in her lap.

Woman churning.
Women bringing fagots from a wood.
Twilight — Going Home.
Gleaners.
The Sower.
Man with Wheelbarrow.

Pastel.

459. Boy and Girl with Bird's Nest before a Figure of Pan. Gift of Martin Brimmer.

460. Landscape. (Water color.)
461. 462. 463. Three Drawings.
Gift of Rev. Frederick and Mrs. Frothingham.

464. Woman Tending a Cow. *Mrs. Frederick Frothingham.*

465. 466. Water Color Studies. *Mrs. Frederick Frothingham.*

WASHINGTON ALLSTON. (See 101.)

Sketches, unfinished oils, studies in sepia, chalk, etc.

470. Storm at Sea, 1818. (Water color.)
The ship "Galen," on which the artist returned from Europe. Drawn on shipboard after the storm.
*Mr. S. Franklin Dexter.*

471. 472. Tracings from the original picture of Jacob's Dream; at Petworth Castle.

473. Uriel in the Sun. Tracing from the picture at Strafford House.

474. Una. Tracing from the outline of the painting owned by Mrs. Hatch, Medford.

Sketches, unfinished oils, etc.

475. A Sibyl. Outline in chalk. Life size.
476. Ship at Sea. Sketch in chalk.
478. Titania's Court. An outline.
479. "A Troubadour"? Girl in male costume.
480. Heliodorus driven from the Temple. Sketch in chalk.

The above with a large number of drawings by Allston deposited with the Museum by his heirs.

481. Christ healing the Sick.
482. First Study for "Christ healing the Sick."
483. The Prophetess: an Outline.

JOHN SINGLETON COPLEY. (See No. 137–151.)

484. Study for a portrait of a man. *Athenæum.*
485. Original sketch for the portrait of Lord Mansfield. *Athenæum.*
486. Original unfinished sketch for the Death of Chatham. *Copley Amory.*
487. Study for a painting. Death of Major Pierson. *Athenæum.*
488. Study for a portrait of a lady. *Athenæum.*
489. Study, Daughter of George III. *Miss Mary Amory Greene.*

J. M. W. TURNER; b. London, 1775; d. there, 1851.

490. } Two pencil drawings — Castle in Scotland.
491. } *Denman W. Ross.*
492. On the Rhine. (Water Color.) *Denman W. Ross.*
493. Sketch. (Water Color.) *Denman W. Ross.*

JOHN RUSKIN.

494. Drawing of the Emperor's Palace, Berlin. Gift of D. W. Ross.
495. One of the Towers of Fribourg. Pen and Ink, with Color. *Mrs. John H. Sturgis.*
496. Study of Leaves. Drawing. *Mrs. John H. Sturgis.*

SAMUEL PROUT: b. Plymouth, Eng., 1783; d. Camberwell. 1852.

497. A Gothic Portal. *Denman W. Ross.*
498. Strasburg. *Denman W. Ross.*

## PASTELS.

CONSTANT TROYON: b. Sèvres, 1810; d. 1865.

504. Oxen Ploughing. Bequest of Thomas G. Appleton.

JEAN FRANÇOIS MILLET.

505. The Buckwheat Harvest.
506. The Coming Storm. *Mrs. Brimmer.*

507. Shepherdess — *Mrs. Brimmer.*
508. Killing the Hog. — Gift of Mrs. S. D. Warren.

LOUIS KRONBERG.

509. Head.
510. Getting Ready for the Ballet. — *The Artist.*

AFTER FRANCESCO BARTOLOZZI. 1730–1813.

511. Amorini, from the Farnesina. — *Chas. C. Perkins.*

ANNA E. KLUMPKE.

512. Gran'mère Barbizon. — *The Artist.*

## WATER COLORS.

EDWARD D. BOIT.

514. Place de l' Opera.
515. Place de l' Etoile, Arc de Triomphe. — Gift of the Artist.

ARMAND THÉOPHILE CASSAGNE.

516. Le dormoir du Nid de l'Aigle.
517. Le Charlemagne et le Roland. — Gift of Mrs. Caroline Tappan.

WINSLOW HOMER, b. Boston, 1836.

518. Leaping Trout.
519. Indian Camp.
520. Trout Fishing.
521. Quananiche Fishing. — Purchased from the Wm. Wilkins Warren Fund.

JACOB WAGNER: b. Bavaria, 1852; d. 1898; resident of Dedham, Mass.

522. Neponset River, Milton. — Gift of Augustus P. Loring.

EDWARD BURNE-JONES: b. Birmingham, 1833; d. 1898.

523. Le Chant d'Amour.

Helas, je sais un chant d'Amour,
Triste ou gai tour à tour.

JOHN LAFARGE. (See No. 314.)

524. Sacred Font in the temple of Iyemitsu, Nikko. — *Mrs. Brimmer.*

525. Figure of a Girl with a torch; study for a memorial window.

526. Old farm house, Hazard farm, Newport. Afternoon Sunlight. *Mrs. Brimmer.*

GEORGE FRIPP, R. W. S., London.

527. Glen Slighan, Skye.

Purchased at the Exhibition of English Water Colors, 1885.

JOHN CONSTABLE.

528. Borrowdale, Morning. 1806.

Gift of Denman W. Ross.

JOHN VARLEY.

529. Snowdon from Capel Curig. *Sidney A. Kimber.*

ARTHUR CROFT, England.

530. Chalets at Veyres, Sierre. *The Artist.*

WILLIAM HUNT, England, 1790–1864.

531. Sketch of a Boy. *Denman W. Ross.*

E. ROESSLER FRANZ.

532. Cypresses of the Villa d'Este, Tivoli, Rome.

Purchased at the Exhibition of English Water Colors, 1885

A. TEERLINK.

533. Landscape with Animals. Bequest of William Minot.

PETER DE WINT: b. at Stone, Staffordshire, Jan. 21, 1784; d. London, June 30, 1849.

534. Mountains in Wales. *Dr. W. S. Bigelow.*

JACQUES MARIS, The Hague.

535. Teaching the Dog.

Purchased from the Abbott Lawrence Fund.

MRS. MARY E. GODDARD-WILLIAMS.

537. Staircase of the Bargello, Florence. *The Artist.*

538. Choir of Santa Maria Novella, Florence. *The Artist.*

ARTHUR ROTCH.

539. The Bridge and Citadel of Würzburg. *The Artist.*

LOUIS K. HARLOW.

540. The Wood-chopper. *The Artist.*

JOHN W. BUNNEY.

541. Choir and Apse of San Vitale, Ravenna, 1874.
Bequest of Stephen H. Perkins.

CAMILLE PISSARRO: b. in Normandy.

542. Shepherd in the Rain. *Mrs. Lilla Cabot Perry.*

543. Spring, Regent's Park, London.
*Mrs. Lilla Cabot Perry.*

ANTON MAUVE: b. Zaandam; d. 1888.

544. A Country Road. *Josiah Bradlee.*

545. The Sheepfold. *Josiah Bradlee.*

W. ROELOFS: b. Amsterdam, 1822.

546. On a Canal, Holland. *Miss C. L. W. French.*

WILLIAM BLAKE: b. London, 1757; d. 1828.

Nine illustrations of Milton's Paradise Lost.

550. "Father! thy word is passed; man shall find grace."
*Paradise Lost*, *Book* iii., *line* 227.

551. The Creation of Eve. *Book* viii., *line* 470.

552. Satan watching the caresses of Adam and Eve.
*Book* iv., *line* 366.

553. Adam and Eve sleeping. Satan, in the shape of a toad, close to the woman's ear. *Book* iv., *line* 800.

554. Raphael, with Adam and Eve. *Book* v., *line* 443.

555. Lucifer and the Rebel-angels hurled into the abyss.
*Book* vi., *line* 864.

556. Eve eating the Apple. *Book* ix., *line* 791.

557. Adam and Eve taken by Michael out of Eden.
*Book* xii., *line* 632.

558. The Crucifixion, foretold by Michael to Adam while Eve lies sleeping. *Book* xii., *line* 415.

Nine illustrations of the Bible. 1805–1810?

559. Plagues of Egypt. Famine. *Exodus* ix., x.
560. " " Plague. *Exodus* ix., x.
561. " " Death of the First-born. *Exodus* xii.
562. Moses erecting the Brazen Serpent. *Numbers* xxi.
563. Hell receiving the King of Babylon. *Isaiah* xiv. 9.
564. The Whirlwind in Ezekiel's Vision. *Ezekiel* i.
565. David encountering Goliath. 1 *Samuel* xvii.
566. The Woman taken in Adultery. *John* viii. 8, 9.
567. Abraham about to sacrifice Isaac. *Genesis* xxii.

Eight illustrations to Comus.

569. The Lady lost in the wood; the Attendant Spirit is disappearing on the right; while, on the left, Comus accosts her disguised as a simple Villager. *Comus*, *verse* 92 *and verse* 294.

The Lady singing, seated on a bank; Comus and his rabble-rout appearing on the hill behind. *Verse* 229.

The Attendant Spirit appearing as Thyrsis between the two brothers. *Verse* 489.

"Two such I saw." Comus, disguised as a shepherd, looking on the two brothers clambering up the hill. *Verse* 290.

570. The Banquet. Comus standing in front with goblet and wand in hand; the Lady sitting in the enchanted chair; the monstrous rabble seated around the table. *Verse* 810.

The brothers rush in, with drawn swords, to save their sister; Comus and his rout disappearing. *Verse* 813.

Sabrina rises, attended by water-nymphs. *Verse* 888.

"Noble Lord and Lady bright,
I have brought ye new delight."

Return of the sister and brothers to their parents. *Verse* 965.

571. Christ Blessing. (*In tempera.*)

*James Jackson Jarves.*

J. LINDON SMITH.

572. The Arno at Pisa. *Denman W. Ross.*
573. Narcissus, from a bronze in the Naples Museum.
574. Andrea Loredan, from a bronze in Venice.
575. Head of a Cherub. *Denman W. Ross.*
576. Shield with Angels, Ducal Palace, Venice. *Denman W. Ross.*
577. Madonna and Child. Fresco in the Baptistry at Parma. *The Artist.*

WALTER CRANE, London.

578. Puss in Boots. Seven drawings.
579. Flora's Feast. Three drawings.
Gift of Mrs. John L. Gardner.

THOMAS BEWICK.

580. Birds. *Denman W. Ross.*

CHINESE.

581. Three landscapes: painted at Canton or in the Kwang Tung province.
Gift of Wm. Dolan of Hongkong.

MISS LAURA C. HILLS.

582. The Gold Fish. *The Artist.*
583. St. Elizabeth. *The Artist.*
584. Portrait of Beatrice Herford. *The Artist.*
585. Portrait of Alice Brown. *The Artist.*
586. Portrait of Mrs. Ellwood Hendricks. *The Artist.*

ROSS TURNER.

587. The Falcon. *The Artist.*
588. A Colonial Relic. *The Artist.*
589. Casa Blanco, Havana, Cuba. *The Artist.*

# MINIATURES.

"Peint par FANEUIL DE LA CROIX son fils, 1731."
Member of the Faneuil Family. *Miss M. A. Jones.*

GEORGE L. SAUNDERS.
Portraits painted about 1834. *Athenæum.*

MISS CAROLINE SCHELKY.
Alexander Reinagle, of Philadelphia. 1814.
*Mrs. Franklin S. Phelps.*
After painting by Domenichino. 1818.
*Mrs. Franklin S. Phelps.*

ALVAN CLARK.
Mrs. Henry Smith (Zebiah May Gore). 1836.
*Mrs. Nelson V. Titus.*

ANNA C. PEALE. 1821.
Portrait of Mrs. John Baxter. *Miss E. H. Bailey.*

HENRY GERHARD FETTE.
F. C. Gröger, artist. *M. M. Fette.*
Baron von Cronstern, Jr. *M. M. Fette.*

MISS S. L. ALLEN.
Thorwaldsen.
After a portrait in oil.
Gift of Mrs. Charles C. Little.
Phillipe de Champagne.
After the portrait in the Louvre, by himself.
Gift of Mrs. Charles C. Little.

FREDERICK MILLET.
Napoleon I. Bought in Paris, 1852, at the sale of Marshal Soult. *J. T. Coolidge, Jr.*

JUDLIN. About 1796.
Jesse Smith. *Miss Sarah E. Smith.*

UNKNOWN.

Portrait of Miss Anna E. Sturgis. Painted in France about 1824.

Rev. John Clarke. Pastor of the First Church of Boston, 1778–1798.

*The First Church of Boston.*

WASHINGTON ALLSTON.

John Harris, of Cambridge. Painted when classmates at college.

Bequest of Miss Charlotte Harris.

UNKNOWN.

Portrait of a Lady. *Mrs. D. P. Kimball.*

Portrait of a Lady. *Mrs. D. P. Kimball.*

EDWARD G. MALBONE: b. Newport, R. I., August, 1777; d. Savannah, Ga., May 7, 1807.

Mrs. James Carter.

Bequest of Mrs. James W. Sever.

MISS SARAH GOODRIDGE.

After a painting by Stuart.

Russell Sturgis. Gift of Mrs. Henry P. Sturgis.

SUNQUA. CANTON, CHINA. 1852.

Henry P. Sturgis. Gift of Mrs. Henry P. Sturgis.

UNKNOWN.

Marie Antoinette. *Miss Helen Griggs.*

R. W. Moffat. *Robert T. Moffat.*

DOYLE.

S. R. C. Moffat. *Robert T. Moffat.*

UNKNOWN.

Miss Caroline Gore (afterwards Mrs. Charles O. Rogers). *Mrs. Nelson V. Titus.*

E. G. MALBONE. (1777–1807.)

Portrait of Washington Allston. Purchased from income of the Otis Norcross fund.

AFTER GERARD DOUW.

Der Federschneider. *Miss M. M. Fetter.*

UNKNOWN.
Miniature paintings of Cape Town, Africa. On leaves of the Silver Tree. *John A. Welsh.*

BYZANTINE.
Miniature on wood. *Miss Helen Griggs.*

MISS SARAH GOODRIDGE.
Portrait of herself.
Portrait of Gilbert Stuart.
Gift of Miss H. S. Walker.

JOHN SINGLETON COPLEY. (1737–1815.).
S. Salisbury. *Miss Elizabeth Greene.*

UNKNOWN.
D. B. (Dr. Burrage or D. Burgess?) *Thomas Kenny.*

MISS JANE HUNT.
Napoleon. Original by Isabey. *The Artist.*
Madame Culaincourt. A copy. *The Artist.*

The following are the gift of NATHAN APPLETON:

JEAN LOUIS ERNEST MEISSONIER : b. Lyons, 1815.
Prince Napoleon (Plon-Plon).

UNKNOWN.
Madame Sarolta.
Miss Coffin, sister of D. N. Coffin, of Portland, Me.
Angelica Kauffman(?).
Josephine de Beauharnais, Empress of France.

# OIL PAINTINGS.

## IN THE PORCELAIN ROOM.

CARLO CIGNANI.

600. Hagar and Ishmael. *Athenæum.*

FRANCESCO ZUCCARELLI, Tuscany, 1702, 1788.

601. Landscape. *Athenæum.*

MICHAEL AMERIGA ANGELO DA CARAVAGGIO, 1569, 1609, Rome (attributed to).

602. Itinerant Musicians. Bequest of Chas. Sumner.

PIETRO DA CORTONA: b. Cortona, 1596; d. Rome, 1669.

603. Hercules and Omphale. *J. C. Hooker.*

UNKNOWN.

604. Fruit, Flowers, and Still Life. *Athenæum.*

ALVAN FISHER, Boston.

605. Landscape, dated, Boston, 1828. *Athenæum.*

LUCA GIORDANO. Naples, 1632–1705.
Pupil of Pietro da Cortona.

606. The Golden Age. Bought from the Council Chamber, Florence. *Athenæum.*
Gift to the Athenæum, from Geo. W. Wales.

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PANDOLFO RESCHI: b. Dantsic, 1643.
Pupil of Jacopo Borgognone.

607. Landscape with Huntsmen.
Gift of Francis Brooks.

608. Landscape with Fishermen.
Bequest of Mrs. Peter C. Brooks.

609. Landscape with Figures on a Road.
Bequest of Mrs. Peter C. Brooks.

GASPAR POUSSIN, Rome, 1613–1675 (attributed to).
Pupil of Niccolo Poussin.

609A. Landscape. *Athenæum.*

KAREL DU JARDIN: b. Amsterdam, 1640; d. 1678 (attributed to).
Pupil of Nicholas Berghem.

610. Figures at a Fountain. *Athenæum.*

JOHN VAN ZOON: b. Antwerp, about 1650; d. 1700.

611–12. Still Life. Bequest of Charles Sumner.

## IN THE LOWER HALL.

JULES JOYANT.

613. Grand Canal, Venice.

CARLO MARCO.

614. Landscape. *Mrs. Horatio Greenough.*

CHARLES SPRAGUE PEARCE.

616. A Village Funeral in Brittany. *The Artist.*

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CLAUDE MONET.

618. Les Eaux Tremblantes. *Miss Abby A. Bradley.*
619. La Falaise des Dalles. *Denman W. Ross.*
620. La Petite Creuse. *Denman W. Ross.*
621. Marine. *Denman W. Ross.*
622. Le Pré à Giverny. *Dr. A. T. Cabot.*

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J. C. CAZIN.

625. The Cottages. *William R. Wilson.*

H. LEROLLE.

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# SCULPTURE.

## IN THE HALL.—SECOND FLOOR.

MISS ANNE WHITNEY.

1. Le Modèle. Bust in bronze.
Gift of Mrs. Maria W. Chapman.

JOHN GIBSON.

2. Love disguised as a shepherd.
Bequest of Thos. G. Appleton.

NAPOLÉON JACQUES.

3. Bronze Bust of Peter the Great, Emperor of Russia.

AUGUSTUS SAINT-GAUDENS, New York.
Pupil of Jouffroy.

4. Bronze Medallion, Bastien-LePage, Paris, 1880.
*Purchased at the Exhibition of* 1880.

GIULIO MONTEVERDE, Genoa.

5. The first inspirations of Columbus.
Gift of A. P. Chamberlain.

HORATIO GREENOUGH.

6. The Guardian Angel. *Laurence Curtis.*
7. Castor and Pollux, a relief.
8. Bust of Napoleon. Bequest of Mrs. Greenough.

A. FALGUIÈRE.

9. Diane Chassereuse. *Dr. Chas G. Weld.*

RICHARD S. GREENOUGH.

10. Carthaginian Girl. *Athenæum.*
Gift of Miss Joy.

AUGUSTE RODIN.

11. The Flight of Love. *Jas. F. Sutton.*

Æ. Apolloni.

12. Bust of Father Grafton.

Bronze Mask of Napoleon.

13. From a cast taken by Dr. F. Antommarchi immediately after death. *Athenæum.*

Giovanni Lorenzo Bernini: b. Naples, 1598; d. 1680.

14. Figure of Christ bound to a column.

L. Tassi.

15. Bust of Humbert I., King of Italy. 1883.
Gift of his Majesty to the City of Boston.

Baron Henri de Triqueti, France, 1804–1874.
Studied with Hersent.

16. Dante and Virgil, half-figures in bronze.
Gift of Mrs. Edward Lee Childe.

Unknown.

17. Bust of Raphael. } *Athenæum.*

18. Bust of Rubens. } Gift of Thos. H. Perkins.

Augustus St. Gaudens.

19. Relief in bronze of George Hollingsworth, late teacher of drawing in the Lowell Institute.
Gift of his pupils.

Giovanni Dupré.

20. Dante. Ideal figure executed in 1845.
*Mrs. C. C. Perkins.*

Henry Hudson Kitson.

22. La Musique de la Mer (bronze). *The Artist.*

Herbert Adams.

23. Linda. *The Artist.*

Thomas R. Gould.

24. Imogen. *Mrs. Gould.*

## IN THE LOWER HALL.

THOMAS G. CRAWFORD: b. New York, 1814; d. 1857.

25. Orpheus. *Athenæum.*
26. Hebe and Ganymede. Gift of Charles C. Perkins.
27. Bust of Charles Sumner. Sumner bequest.
28. Venus as Shepherdess. (A Relief after Thorwaldsen.) Bequest of Miss Ida Deacon.

HORATIO GREENOUGH: b. Boston, 1805: d. 1852.

29. Bust of Hamilton. Bequest of Mrs. Greenough.
30. Cupid, bound. Bequest of Mrs. Greenough.

HIRAM POWERS: b. Vermont, 1805; d. 1873.

31. The Greek Slave. *Charles F. Bound*, New York.
32. Faith (a bust). From Stanton Blake.

DR. WILLIAM RIMMER: d. Milton, 1879.

33. Head of St. Stephen.
The head was cut from a block of granite, without previous modelling.
Bequest of Stephen H. Perkins.

WILLIAM W. STORY, Rome: b. Salem, 1819.

34. Venus (a statuette).
35. Bacchus (a statuette).
Gift of Mrs. Russell Sturgis, London.

W. MATTHIÆ; pupil of Thorwaldsen.

36. Bust of Beethoven with decorative bracket. (Jupiter Tonans.) Gift of Mrs. W. A. Tappan.

MODERN COPY.

37. The Venus de Medici.
The original is in the gallery of the Uffizi at Florence.
*Athenæum.*

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## PRINT DEPARTMENT.

During the summer of 1899 Rembrandt's Etchings and Dry-points will remain on exhibition in the First and Second Print Rooms. In the Third Print Room, the most important of the New Accessions, mostly gifts, will be displayed. A number of special exhibitions are in course of preparation, dealing with a variety of subjects, such as the History of Color-printing, principally illustrated by the collection of Mrs. Kingsmill Marrs; the Iconography of Death, being a selection from the rich collection bearing on this subject, brought together by Miss S. Minns, and a Dante Exhibition, to consist of the illustrations of Dante's works, chronologically arranged, beginning with the plates of the Divina Commedia, published in Florence in 1481.

The acquisition of the Parker Collection having drawn largely on the funds of the Museum, the purchases since then have been few in number, but among these few are some most excellent things, including a number of proofs from Méryon's "Eaux-fortes sur Paris," and a wonderfully fine impression of Rembrandt's "Jan Lutma," in the rare first state. As the set of publications issued by the International Chalcographical Society, formerly in the care of the Museum, went back to Harvard College with the Gray Collection, there has been bought a set which was offered for sale in New York.

All persons interested in this department are reminded that the prints not on exhibition can be seen at any time while the Museum is open, except on Saturday afternoons and Sundays, by making application to the curator or his assistants, at the Print Rooms in the basement. This applies also to the Minns Collection and the Marrs Collection, above alluded to, which have been deposited with the Museum by their owners.

# GALLERY OF TEXTILES.

In addition to what is shown in this room, the TEXTILE DEPARTMENT comprises some thousands of specimens of interest to the practical designer and the student of design, especially of Egyptian (Roman and Coptic) fabrics, of French, Italian and Spanish brocades of the 16th, 17th, and 18th centuries, and of Peruvian and Japanese textiles.

The objects not on exhibition can be seen by designers and students on asking in writing for an appointment.

## EUROPEAN TAPESTRIES.

From the Fifteenth to the Nineteenth Centuries.

"Tapestry is neither real weaving nor true embroidery, but unites in its working these two principles into one. It is not embroidery, though so very like it, for tapestry is not worked upon what is really a web, having both warp and woof, but upon a series of closely set, fine strings. Though wrought in a loom and upon a warp stretched along a frame, it has no woof thrown across those threads with a shuttle or any like appliance, but its web is done with many short threads, all variously colored, and put in by a kind of a needle. With the upright as with the flat frame, the workman went the same road to his labors; but in either of these ways he had to grope in the dark a great deal on his path. In both he was obliged to put in the threads on the back or wrong side of the piece, following the sketch as best as he could behind the strings or warp. As the face was downward in the flat frame he had no means of looking at it to correct a fault. In the upright frame he might go in front, and with his own doings in open view on the one hand and the original design full before him on the other, he could mend as he went on, step by step, the smallest mistake, were it but a single thread." — *Dr. Rock's Descriptive Catalogue.*

"Tapestry differs from embroidery in this, that in it the

pictures produced are an integral part of the texture, while in the latter they are simply superimposed on a tissue already existing. It also differs from woven brocaded fabrics by being always the work of the hand, and not an unlimited mechanical repetition of the same design ; so that each piece produced is distinctly original." M. Müntz. — *La Tapisserie.*

No. 1. In the Textile Gallery.

This magnificent tapestry of *Flemish* origin dates probably from the middle of the 15th Century. It is in four compartments, — THE CREATION OF EVE; THE BAPTISM OF CHRIST, THE BIRTH OF CHRIST; AND THE CRUCIFIXION. Note especially the figure of God the Father in the first. At the foot of each compartment are two life-size figures drawn from the Old and New Testaments, — Jeremiah and Peter, David and Andrew, Isaiah and James, Ozias and John.

*Mrs. John H. Wright.*

No. 2. In the Textile Gallery.

"CROSSING OF THE RED SEA." Dating from the close of the 15th or the early part of the 16th century. Origin, Flanders. Silk and wool, with gold in some of the costumes for high lights. The gold has become tarnished by time, and shadow is produced in place of high light, but it is sparingly used.

It bears a great resemblance to some celebrated tapestries woven about that period, among which are "Chastity," a suite owned by the South Kensington Museum, dated 1507–1570.

It was probably painted by the same artist as these, and perhaps woven by the same master, in one of those ateliers, half industrial, half artistic, belonging to one of the great tapestry guilds so prevalent in the Middle Ages, and which were in full vigor at this period.

In the border, which is narrow and simple with flowers, vines, and ribbons, the Gothic feeling is combined with that

of the Renaissance. In the foliage of the subject and the massing of the Egyptians, the Gothic feeling is also evident. The characters are Flemish, and show the influence of the Flemish painters; but the grouping of the Hebrews into separate pictures is more in the manner of the Italian painters.

The costumes, as is customary in tapestry, are of the time of the weaving of the tapestry, and not of the subject. The Egyptians are in the armor of the 15th century, and one will note the exaggerated plumes, which, according to Planché, became general during the latter part of the 15th century.

Purchased from the Otis Norcross Fund.

No. 3. In the Hall.

Subject: "THE ASSUMPTION OF THE VIRGIN MARY." 17th century? Origin, Italy or Flanders? School of Raphael. From the Annunziata Convent, Naples, to which it was given by Cardinal Caraffa, whose arms it bears. Purchased from Sig. Alessandro Castellani.

Its workmanship is very delicate and beautiful, with the color now lowered but little, the gold still bright enough to give true value to the high lights.

*Boston Athenæum. Lawrence Collection.*

No. 4. In the Hall. (See also Nos. 17 and 18.)

Subject: "SUMMER." 17th or 18th century? Silk, wool, and gold.

The design and brilliancy of coloring of this tapestry would indicate a Flemish origin. But at the time of its purchase it was catalogued as made at the Gobelins. The series of the Four Seasons designed by Lebrun was worked at the Gobelins three times in the 17th Century and again in 1708 and 1712.

This is one of a series of the Four Seasons, three of which were purchased by the late George O. Hovey at a sale of

tapestries belonging to the "Maison d'Orleans" in 1852. They were rescued from fire at the Chateau at Neuilly and later from the Boston fire of 1872.

*Miss Marion Hovey.*

No. 5. Hall.

Subject: "THE TRIUMPH OF PEACE." 17th century. Origin, Brussels. Painter, L. Van Schoor.

This was sold under the title of "France, crowned by Victory and attended by Minerva."

Van Schoor painted a number of cartoons for the ateliers of Brussels and Antwerp. Two tapestries made at Brussels, after his designs, are in the collection of the Garde Meuble, Paris. Gift of Miss Deacon.

Nos. 6 and 7. In the Gallery of Textiles.

AUTUMN and WINTER. Of the same series as Summer, No. 4, which see.

No. 9. In the Gallery of Textiles.

SUBJECT UNKNOWN. — Italian? 18th Century.

*Mrs. John H. Sturgis.*

No. 10. In the Gallery of Textiles.

Subject: "ALEXANDER CROSSING THE ISSUS"? 18th century? Origin, France. Wool. The design is attributed to Charles Lebrun.

*Mrs. John H. Sturgis.*

No. 11. In the Gallery of Textiles.

Subject: Coat of Arms, with supports, of the class called "Tapisseries à devises et à armoiries." 17th century. Origin, Flanders?

These tapestries seem to have been in vogue at an early period. They were at first very simple, and their usage

most common, though to-day they are rarely found. "The coats of arms are generally surrounded with lambrequins, surmounted by a helmet, and supported by figures or fantastic animals."

*Miss S. G. Putnam.*

No. 12. In the Gallery of Textiles.

BORDER, GOBELIN. 18th century. Semi-reclining figure of a man playing a pipe.

The famous manufactory of the Gobelin was founded at Paris towards the end of the 15th century by Jean Gobelin, a native of Rheims. In 1662 Louis XIV. and his minister, Colbert, united in this establishment all the trades which were under the royal protection, such as potters, weavers, etc. Charles le Brun, the painter (born 1619, died 1690), was appointed its director in 1663. He furnished designs for many fine pieces of tapestry, which were surrounded by rich framework of fruits and flowers designed by Baptiste Monnoyer.

*Athenæum.*

No. 13. In the Gallery of Textiles.

BORDER, FLEMISH. Flowers, vines, and Renaissance arabesque.

On the walls are hung several fine specimens of PERSIAN or ITALIAN (in imitation of Persian design) FABRICS, Wall Hangings, Prayer Rugs, etc., of the 16th and 17th centuries. These were exhibited by Sig. Castellani at Philadelphia; and were purchased and presented to the Museum by Martin Brimmer.

CHINESE HANGING. Appliqué work.

Gift of Moses Kimball.

## METAL. IN THE COIN ROOM.

No. 15. VERDURE.

16th century.

Purchased from the Otis Norcross Fund.

No. 16. VERDURE.

16th century.

Purchased from the Otis Norcross Fund.

Nos. 17–22. In the Coin Room. SIX TAPESTRIES, Brussels (?); early 17th century.

Harvest Scenes, Peasants Dancing, etc.

Lent by Mr. Arthur Hunnewell.

***CASES, NOS. 1 to 4.***

ITALIAN CHURCH VESTMENTS AND OTHER EMBROIDERIES.

*Collection made by Alessandro Castellani, of Rome. Bought from the T. B. Lawrence Bequest. Lent by the Athenæum.*

1. HANGING OF RUBY VELVET, with ornaments embroidered in color, having in the midst a shield, upon which the Presentation in the Temple is represented in needle-work with gold thread and colored silks. Italian work, of the end of the 16th century.

3, 4. Two others, but smaller, with children supporting the shield; end of the 16th century.

5. ALTAR COVERING, of crimson velvet, having in the midst the figure of a saint, embroidered in gold thread and silk, within a civic crown. The entire field of the altar covering is covered with rich arabesques in gold. Italian work of the beginning of the 16th century. Hung on the wall.

6. SMALL TUNIC, of crimson velvet, with embroidery like that of No. 5, and two busts of saints in color; same date.

7. SMALL ALTAR COVERING, of blue silk and gold, with very beautiful arabesques. Italian. 16th century.

8. COVERING, of emerald-covered velvet.

9. COPE, of red silk and gold, richly arabesqued. Italian. 16th century.

10. SMALL ALTAR COVERING, of red stuff, with beautiful arabesques *appliqué* in yellow and gold. Italian. 16th century.

11. Another, of cut velvet, red color with arabesques. Italian. 15th century.

12. COVERING, of gold brocade, with brightly colored flowers and leaves in silk. Italian. 17th century.

13. ALTAR COVERING, of violet-colored cut velvet, with fine arabesques. Italian. 16th century.

14. CHASUBLE, of cut velvet, with violet-colored designs upon a yellow ground. Italian. 16th century.

15. LARGE BED-COVER, for a nuptial couch, of green damask, with border embroidered in bright colors. Italian. 17th century.

16. CHASUBLE, of cut velvet, with red arabesques on a gold ground. Italian. 16th century.

17. Another, of red silk and gold, with the Barberini bees and a belt beautifully embroidered in gold thread. About 1595.

18. Another, of red stuff and gold, with fine arabesques and the arms of Cardinal Pamphili. Italian. 17th century.

19. BAPTISMAL COVERING, of cut velvet, with red flowers on a gold ground. Italian. 16th century.

20. CHASUBLE, of cut velvet, with yellow palms on a violet ground. Italian. 16th century.

21. Ditto, of a very beautiful material, red silk and gold. Italian. 16th century.

22. LARGE COPE, of silken stuff, with superb arabesques in violet and gold. Italian. 16th century.

23. SILK ALTAR CLOTH, gray and white, with gold and silver flowers. Italian. 17th century.

24. CHASUBLE, of a white stuff, with embroideries in gold and colored silks. It bears the arms of Cardinalite Alri-Italian. 17th century.

25. VEST, of cut velvet, with red flowers on a gold ground. Italian. 17th century.

26. ALTAR CLOTH, with fine embroidery of flowers and birds in gold and silver thread and silk brilliantly colored; in the midst is a coat of arms with a crown embroidered in relief. Italian. 17th century.

27 COVERING, of gold cloth, with two coats of arms of Pope Orsini and Cardinal Anguillara. 16th century.

28. CHASUBLE, of green stuff, with rich arabesques and flowers embroidered in gold and silk. Italian. 17th century.

29. COVERING, of violet silk, embroidered in gold. Italian, 18th century.

30. COPE, of cut velvet, green on green. Italian. 16th century.

31. LETTER POUCH, with embroideries of silk and gold. 17th century, etc.

***CASE 5.***

EMBROIDERIES. A Bed-spread. GERMAN.
Gift of Miss Salome J. Snow.

Embroidered Cross. BELGIAN.

A wedding dress of a SMYRNA woman and other Embroideries, German, Venetian, Spanish, Greek and Russian. Gift of J. W. Paige. Bequest of Mrs. Walter Baker, and lent by *Mrs. Cleveland*, *Miss Deacon*, and the *Estate of Alfred Greenough*, etc., etc.

***CASE 6.***

Several specimens of MOORISH EMBROIDERY. Long strips to hang as panels of a room. Of 17th century? Noticeable for color and variety of design. The tinsel centrepieces are of later date. Purchased at the Centennial Exhibition.

GREEK EMBROIDERY in red silk; MOORISH, on white silk. Bequest of J. W. Paige.

WOMAN'S GIRDLE, MOORISH, green and gold. Gift of Mrs. Towne.

HERZEGOVINA WORK. *Dr. W. S. Bigelow.*

TUNIS SCARF. Gift of Edward W. Hooper.

An Abbah from DAMASCUS, and other pieces. *Miss Helen Griggs.*

Embroideries and Weavings. Gift of Mrs. Henry P. Sturgis and Mrs. L. T. Bayley, and lent by the *Estate of Alfred Greenough* and *Miss Sarah M. Spooner.*

The dress of a young girl and other articles from NUBIA, Egypt. *Miss Sarah M. Spooner.*

The dress of a ZULU girl, bought at Estcourt, NATAL, South Africa. *John A. Welsh.*

***CASES NOS. 7 to 12.***

A rare and superb collection of JAPANESE EMBROIDERIES and woven fabrics. *Dr. W. Sturgis Bigelow.*

Others from the Estate of *Alfred Greenough.*

***CASE 13.***

DAMASCUS DRESS, PERSIAN COAT, VELVETS AND BROCADES, PERSIAN AND NORTH ITALIAN from Oriental designs.

***CASE 14.***

A number of BROCADE DRESSES, VESTS, SHOES, etc., worn in New England in the last century.

***CASE 15.***

CHINESE DRESSES, from the Estate of *Alfred Greenough*, *by Charles H. Parker*, *Executor*, *H. Gilbert Frost*, *Mrs. M. F. Fowler*. Other pieces lent by *Miss Elizabeth. C. Ward*, *Mrs. Jas. S. Cumston*. Also gifts of Miss Salome H. Snow and Miss Prudence C. Delano.

***CASE 16.***

ROYAL CAPE AND CLOAK OF FEATHERS. A gift of the KING OF THE SANDWICH ISLANDS.

*Mrs. Charles H. Joy.*

CAPE OF FEATHERS from MALACCA. *Mrs. D. A. Russell.*

***CASE 17.***

CHINESE EMBROIDERIES.

Lent by *George P. Meservy*, Salem.

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## LACES.

CASES 17 TO 27 AND ROTATING FRAME B.

*The place of manufacture and approximate date are indicated on the labels.*

***CASE 18.***

A COLLECTION. *Miss Sarah M. Spooner.*

***CASES 19, 20, 21, 22, and 23.***

A RICH AND VALUABLE COLLECTION OF SIXTY-SEVEN PIECES OF LACE, mostly of 16th, 17th, and 18th centuries. Gift of Mrs. Geo. W. Wales.

***CASE 24.***

A VEIL OF BRUSSELS POINT: Modern.
*Mrs. Charles K. Cobb, Jr.*

***CASE 26.***

Three flounces of ITALIAN lace and a veil of FRENCH appliqué. *Mrs. H. P. Quincy.*

***CASE 27.***

A RICH COLLECTION OF FIFTEEN PIECES.
*Mrs. Gardner Brewer.*

***CASE 28.***

CASHMERE SHAWLS, etc. Lent by *Miss Newell, Miss Griggs, Mr. Bailey and the Estate of Alfred Greenough.*

***CASE 29.***

DRAWN WORK.

***FRAME 30.***

Back of a Stole. SICILIAN BROCADE. 13th Century. A rare and remarkably fine piece.
Gift of Denman W. Ross.

***FRAME 31.***

Border embroidered in silk and gold with doves and fruit. SICILIAN, 14th Century.
Gift of Denman W. Ross.

***FRAME 32.***

Hanging, ITALIAN, pale blue ground of "satin stitch," embroidered with arabesque, in silver thread and coral.

***FRAME 33.***

PERSIAN RUG. — In the upper half is pictured a hunt with the tamed leopard, the Cheetah, before high personages in Kiosks. In the lower a mythological subject. In parts the influence of Chinese art is strongly felt. Border of masques and grotesques with exquisite arrangement of flowers.

The rug was purchased through William Morris of London, who ascribes its date to about the middle of the 16th century. A rug in many points quite similar to this was recently shown in Paris and described by Georges Marye in the *Gazette des Beaux Arts* as of the 15th Century.

This superb specimen was the gift of Frederick Lothrop Ames.

***FRAME 34.***

PERSIAN RUG, formerly belonging to the French Minister to Persia. Gift of George B. Dorr.

***ROTATING FRAMES A.***

EGYPTIAN. 1st to 6th century. Gift of Denman W. Ross.

***ROTATING FRAMES B.***

LACES. From Various Donors.

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## WOOD CARVING.

THE EIGHT PANELS OF OAK, GILDED, 12 ft. x 2 ft. 8 in., were taken from the HÔTEL MONTMORENCY, and subsequently built into the Deacon House. They date from the time of, and were probably executed by Jean Goujon. Purchased in part by the Museum, part by the Athenæum.

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## IN THE HALL.

***CASE 35.***

ALTAR CLOTH. Of Byzantine design. Birds drinking at fountains. Silk and gold. *Hollis Hunnewell.*

BROCADE DRESSES of a figure of the Virgin from a church in SPAIN.

*Mrs. John H. Wright, Mrs. Hall* and *Lyman Nichols.*

***CASE 38.***

EMBROIDERIES, ETC. Lent by *Mrs. Thomas O. Richardson*, from the Collection of Mrs. Richard Baker.

***CASE 39.***

Fifty baskets from Indian tribes of North America. — Alaskan, Chillcat, Tulare, Pima, Sioux, Navajo, Moki, Pueblo, Apache, Tuckapaw, Mission Indians of Southern California; dwellers on the Western Lakes, Choctaw, Penobscot, and other tribes are represented.

Since it has been shown that weaving takes its origin from basket-working this primitive art has acquired additional interest.

*Miss Jane Hunt, Mrs. Rufus S. Frost.*

# POTTERY AND PORCELAIN.

THE interest in fictile wares has always existed, and it always must exist. From time to time it reaches a sort of high tide when all the world consents to look and to know something about it. Within the last twenty years this interest has been great, and it is likely to continue.

The fact that pottery and porcelain belong to the daily business of life, and that they are indispensable to the great event of that life, — a man's dinner, — make them indeed objects in which all may take a living interest.

Among the very first works which the hand of man has formed are pots and dishes; and one of the first machines was the potter's wheel, which is in use to-day as it was in the days of the pyramid builders. One other reason why pottery is among the most interesting of the works of man is, that it most easily receives the impression which the taste, the skill, the art of the workman can give it.

We thus get in the pot not only the useful thing, but whatever of form, of decoration, of beauty, of art, the soul of the workman may strive to express. The study of pottery, therefore, is, in some degree, the study of a part of man's soul. From the very outset, even as far back as the "Stone age," there were attempts at beauty of form and fitness of decoration. We find this expression of the artistic feeling in its pottery among all nations, from the Egyptians, through the Assyrians, the Greeks, the Moors, the Italians, the Germans; everywhere, and in all nations.

The Incas of Peru and the Toltecs of Mexico had their peculiarities of form and of decoration, though it must be observed that these earliest forms have a close likeness to the earliest attempts of all other peoples.

But when we get to a higher style of expression, we find the peculiarities most marked; and in such nations as the

Chinese and the Japanese they reach art of the highest quality, and most especially in COLOR and decoration. There seems to have been, and to be, in the Asiatic races, this genius for color quite marvellous and quite superior to anything the white races have done. This is seen not only in its porcelains, but as well in its carpets, its shawls, its stuffs.

The loan collections in the Museum show excellent and varied examples of this.

It may be observed that the Chinese and Japanese artists did not sit down to *copy* a flower, or a tree, or person. There is a certain something which we choose to call the *ideal* which they caught. May it not be called the *soul* of the object rather than its body? And yet their work is not slovenly and careless, but is marked above all others by thoroughness and care.

The Greek artist appears again to have found his highest expression in FORM; so that in the Greek vase we look for and find what we feel to be grace, beauty, and use in perfect combination. The collection in the Museum presents good illustrations of this; while the paintings upon them do not always reach a high standard of art. Nor must we claim that every Greek amphora or kylix is perfection even in form. It is not so. Nor is every picture of Raphael perfect; nor every play of Shakespeare divine. Only among the multitude of Greek vases, etc., which the tombs have preserved for us, are to be found examples of form which have not been and cannot be surpassed.

The visitor should notice the collection of Etruscan vases in the Museum; and should observe that they are quite different from the Greek, which for so long a time have been miscalled Etruscan. This collection of Etruscan fictile work is most rare and valuable, as illustrating the art of pottery.

We find, again, among the Arabs and Moors, and especially those of Spain, another expression of art in pottery, which is beautiful and peculiar to them. Their decorations did not include the human figure, but were geometrical and whimsical, sometimes including plant forms and animals in

great variety, — what have come to be termed Arabesques. Some excellent examples are in the collection. But the coloring of those made in Spain bore a shimmer, called a *lustre*, which is peculiar, and seems to have been original. It was produced by the use of mineral salts or oxides.

This Moorish ware was the parent of the Italian *Maiolica*, of which some good and very valuable examples have been presented to the Museum. When these Maiolica wares were first made in Italy (about A. D. 1500), they all had this lustre, and it was greatly enhanced in beauty above the work of the Moors by Mastro Giorgio at Gubbio, fine examples of whose work sell for enormous prices; but most of what is now called Maiolica does not bear the lustre, as the examples in the Museum make apparent. Both the Moorish and the Maiolica wares will repay attention, as they were the precursors of the porcelains and Faiences which afterward reached such great perfection in Europe.

Of European porcelains, the Dresden or Meissen and that of Sèvres reached the greatest perfectness, and have commanded most attention and most money. Examples of these can be studied at the Museum. But following the discovery of the true Kaolinic or China clay in Europe, Böttcher, about 1710, succeeded in making true porcelain in Saxony. During that century, porcelain manufactories were started in nearly all the countries of Europe, in which porcelain of greater or less perfectness was made. The study and collection of these has now become important, enlisting much mind and much money. These collections are of great value, and it is not uncommon that as much as $10,000 is paid for a single vase or dish. Growing out of all this art and this interest comes the porcelain and pottery used in daily life. In these, within this half-century, have been great improvements, and to this every household bears its testimony. For thus helping to beautify and perfect our household life we may willingly thank the lovers and collectors of pottery and porcelain, and we may and do look to collections in Museums of Art, also, to help on the good work. C. W. E.

Porcelain was made in Europe as early as the year 1581, under the patronage of Francis I., Duke of Tuscany. The manufactory had but a brief existence of about ten years. The next known attempt was made at St. Cloud, in the year 1695, by the Chicanneau family, where soft paste porcelain was made. In the year 1710 Böttcher had the honor to be the first to discover the art of making hard porcelain in Europe. Böttcher, born in Schleitz, in Prussia, received his education as an apothecary in Berlin, and in the year 1710, suspected of being an alchemist, fled to Saxony. Augustus II. hearing of him in Dresden, and supposing that he possessed the secret of making gold, took him under his patronage. It was while searching for the "philosopher's stone" that, in making a crucible in 1705, he discovered the nature of the clay to be Kaoline.* From that time he continued his experiments until hard porcelain was made.

The manufacture in Vienna was begun under one Stölzel who fled from Meissen, in 1720 The Höchst pottery, in Mayence, began to make porcelain, under the direction of a workman from Vienna, named Ringler, in 1740. In Fürstenberg, the porcelain manufactory was established in 1750, by Bengraf, who came from Höchst. The establishment in Berlin was first attempted in 1751, but obtained little success until 1761, under Gottskowski.

The Frankenthal manufactory was established in 1755, by Paul Hannüg, who had been forced to leave Sèvres, and was assisted by Ringler, who, finding his secret had been stolen from him in Höchst, quitted that place and offered hi services to Hannüg.

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* KAOLINE, the Chinese name for porcelain earth, is composed of silica, alumina, and water (hydrous silicate of alumina). It is produced by the disintegration of the crystalline mineral, felspar, through the action of the atmosphere on granite and other rocks that contain it.

Feldspar, the *Petuntse* of the Chinese, consists of silica, alumina, and potash or soda, or both, and in the disintegration referred to it loses all the potash and soda and part of the silica, leaving only the remaining silica and the whole of the alumina, with which a small amount of water becomes combined. The kaoline resulting has an average composition as follows: —

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| Silica . . . . . | 47 per cent. |
| Alumina . . . . . | 40 " |
| Water . . . . . | 13 " |

A block of pure kaoline from South Carolina can be seen in Case 35.

The Ludwigsburg factory was established in 1758, by Ringler, under the patronage of the Duke of Wurtemberg. In the same year the first manufactory in Thuringia was commenced.

In Russia, two manufactories were begun about the year 1756. In Holland, porcelain manufactories were established at Weesp, in 1764 ; at the Hague, in 1778 ; and at Amstel, 1782.

The Copenhagen works were begun in 1760. In Sweden they began to make porcelain, in the old manufactory of pottery, in Rörstrand, in 1735, and at Marieberg, in 1759.

Porcelain was made in France, after the first attempt at St. Cloud, in Vincennes, in 1740–1745. The works were removed to Sèvres in 1756. The Chantilly works were commenced in 1735; Sceaux, 1751; Strasbourg, 1752; Niderviller, 1765; Marseilles, 1766; Lille, 1785; Belleville, 1790.

In Italy, after the manufacture under the Medici ceased there was no porcelain made until 1726, when one Francesco Vezzi established a manufactory in Venice, and was followed in 1735 by the Marquis Ginori, at Doccia, near Florence. In 1736, at Naples, the Capo di Monti manufactory was begun, under the patronage of Charles III.

In Spain, the only manufactory was that of Buen Retiro, near Madrid, established by Charles III. with workmen brought from Naples.

In England, the first porcelain works were erected at Bow, about 1740 ; the Chelsea, in 1745 ; Derby, 1750 ; Worcester, 1741; Caughley and Lowestoft, 1756; Plymouth, 1760 ; Bristol, 1772.

Josiah Wedgwood began his pottery works in 1752, but never made porcelain.

The collection here exhibited, though not large, is rich, especially in specimens of Chinese art. It is indebted to Mr. and Mrs. George W. Wales for the gift of six hundred and ninety-two pieces, and to Mrs. Richard Baker for a bequest of one hundred and thirty-three pieces of Wedgwood.

The visitor will find full and varied collections of antique Egyptian, Cyprian, Cretan, Etruscan, Grecian, and Græco-Italian vases and other pottery, including a large number of terra-cotta figures and heads, on the first floor in the "Egyptian" and "Greek Vase" rooms. In this room are, in Cases 1 to 4, and on adjoining wall, specimens of Maiolica and Robbia ware; 5, Capo di Monti; Scandinavian, etc.; 6, Dresden and Vienna; 7, 8, 9, French; 10, 11, 12, 13, English; 14, 15 (flat cases), Maiolica and Faience; 17, Spanish; underneath, Bombay; 18, Delft, Grès de Flandres; 19 and 20, American pottery, Chelsea, Mass., Cincinnati, etc.; 21, pottery of the American Mound Builders; 22, Zuñi; 23, Chiriqui; 24 and 25, Mexican, San Salvador; 26, Peru; 27, 28, Kabyle, Moorish; 29, Terracottas; on the walls, Spanish, Persian tiles, and from Damascus and Jerusalem; 32 to 35, Japanese; 36, English figure pieces; 37 to 41, Chinese; 42, Persian; 44 and 45, Enamels; 46, Chinese; 48, Wedgwood; 49, Figure Pieces. In the corridor will be found the unrivaled collection of Japanese pottery made by Mr. E. S. Morse, cases 1 to 40.

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## *CASE 1.*

### MAIOLICA WARE.

In what is called Hispano-Moorish ware, we find the original source of this beautiful art-manufacture. Moorish potters were established in the island of Majorca (in the Tuscan dialect Maiolica) at a very early period, and fabricated earthenware plates distinguished for the beauty of their metallic oxide glaze. They adorned them with Arabic patterns and fantastic animals. The oldest establishment of this sort of pottery was at Malaga, where it was introduced by the Arabs or the Moors, who perhaps derived the secret of making it from Persia. The Pisans, who conquered the Balearic Islands in the twelfth century, are said to have brought the manufacture of Maiolica to Italy from Majorca. In the fifteenth century it was chiefly made at Faenza, under the names of pietra or terra di Faenza, whence the French derived the name of "faïence," which they applied to it. Unlike porcelain, it is made of common clay, and being only vitrified upon the surface retains a certain degree of porosity. That which was covered with a plumbiferous glaze, silicate of lead, was called "Mezza Maiolica." Thanks to the patronage of the Dukes of Urbino, the Maiolica made at Urbino,

Castel Durante, Pesaro, and Gubbio attained a high degree of perfection during the first half of the sixteenth century, after which it began to decline under the growing taste for porcelain. The names of such distinguished artists as Giorgio Andreoli of Pavia, sculptor and potter established at Gubbio in 1498, whose plates are distinguished for their beautiful, iridescent glaze; of Francesco Xanto da Rovigo, of whose artistic skill the plate No. 7 (signed and dated 1532) is an example; and those of Guido and Orazio Fontana, who worked for Guidobaldo, Duke of Urbino (1540–1560), are connected with the great manufactories above mentioned. The largest platter, No. 6 (subject, the Triumph of Bacchus), and the two richly adorned and painted bottles (gourds), Nos. 8 and 9, are probably the work of Orazio Fontana.

The erroneous idea that Raphael made designs expressly for the Maiolica of Urbino and Castel Durante (whence the name Raphael ware, often given to it) may have arisen from the fact that some of the designs were taken from his works, or, as has been conjectured, from the substitution of his name for that of Raffaelino del Colle, a painter who worked for Guidobaldo I. della Rovere.

There is little doubt that the great reverence felt for the name of Raphael has contributed to the preservation of many of these fragile treasures, which were greatly valued by the principal families of Urbino and the Romagna.

The Duke Alfonso d'Este, who was himself an amateur potter, contributed not a little to the general use of Maiolica for domestic purposes by substituting it upon his own table for the plate which he was obliged to pawn to meet the expenses of the war which he and the Venetians waged with Pope Julius after the League of Cambray, in 1510. The Ferrarese factories were, for the most part, inactive from this time until 1522, when they again flourished, for we know that the celebrated painters, Giovanni and Battista Dossi, made designs for them in 1524. Duke Alfonso then wrote to Titian to procure for him a number of pieces of Maiolica from Murano. Among them were many Spezieria jars used

to hold drugs. Of such jars we have specimens in Nos. 14 and 15, probably of Florentine manufacture.

No. 2 is an excellent example of the plates called "amatorii," or marriage plates. Upon these plates lovers caused the portraits of their betrothed to be painted, with such inscriptions as "Camilla bella," "Lucia diva," etc., etc., and sent them as presents, laden with fruits, sweetmeats, or confectionery.

***CASES 1 and 3.***

**MAIOLICA.**

Nos. 1 to 9 lent by the *Athenæum*.

1. MAIOLICA PLATE. Subject, a woman, with a drawn sword, about to slay a sleeping man. In the sky a deity in a chariot drawn by griffins. No mark. Attributed to Francisco Xanto. Lawrence Collection.
2. MAIOLICA MARRIAGE PLATE, with portrait and inscription. Iridescent glaze. No mark. Lawrence Collection.
3. Ditto. Coat of arms. A crouching sphinx in the centre, supporting a shield with her paw. Rich border. Iridescent glaze. Lawrence Collection.
4. HISPANO-MOORISH WARE. Iridescent glaze. Lawrence Collection.
5. MAIOLICA BOWL. Yellow ground, and lines, with green ornaments. Lawrence Collection.
6. MAIOLICA PLATE. The triumph of Bacchus.
   Attributed to Orazia Fontana, painter to Guidobaldo, Duke of Urbino. (1540–1560.) Lawrence Collection.
7. MAIOLICA PLATE. Pyramus and Thisbe. Signed, F. X. AR., and dated 1532. Francisco Xanto Avelli de Rovigo. Made at Urbino. Lawrence Collection.
   Two lustre dishes by this artist brought £144 at the recent sale of works of art belonging to Prince Napoleon at Paris.

8, 9. MAIOLICA BOTTLES (GOURDS), with richly ornamented handles and stoppers. Orazio Fontana (1540).

A woodcut of one of these bottles is given in Burty's "Chef d'Œuvre des Arts Industriels," p. 84. £125 was paid for a Maiolica bowl by this artist at Prince Napoleon's sale. Lawrence Collection.

Nos. 14 to 30. Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Wales.
14, 15, 16. SPEZIERIA JARS, for drugs, dated 1620.
18, 19. CASTELLI PLATES.
20. PLATE, RUBY LUSTRE. By MAESTRO GIORGIO, 1519–1541. Signed on back.
21 to 27. MAIOLICA JARS, SALTS, etc.
29. HISPANO-MORESQUE PLATE.
30. SIX CASTELLI CUPS. Painted by Grue, 1749.
And several pieces lent by *A. B. French*, *Mrs. Wm. M. Hunt*, *Miss Helen Griggs*, and *Miss S. M. Spooner*.

***CASES 2 and 4.***

ANGEL, by MAESTRO GIORGIO. *Mrs. R. Baker.*
MODERN ITALIAN POTTERY. By Tomaso Castellani, Rome, Cantagalli, Florence. Scagnamiglio, Naples, etc. Also by Giustiniani, Naples. Turelli, etc. Lent by *Miss Griggs*, *Mrs. D. N. Spooner*, *Miss Sarah M. Spooner*, *Philadelphia*, and others; also gifts of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Wales.

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***See also CASES 14 and 15.*** *Maiolica and Faience.*

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**ROBBIA WARE.** (*By the Side of Case* 1.)

We now come to the works of a celebrated artist who combined sculpture and painting with the Keramic art, and originated a new and beautiful branch of decorative art This was Lucca della Robbia, one of the most eminent of the many great Florentine artists of the fifteenth century. After long practising as a sculptor, he devoted himself to the discovery of a hard enamel which would give terra-cotta the durability of marble, and after repeated failures at length attained the desired result about the year 1443. With the true feeling of an artist, Lucca long used a pure white enamel upon the figures which he modelled, and preserved their sculptural feeling by keeping color in his backgrounds and accessories. Thinking, however, that his works might, if more highly colored, be used as substitutes for fresco painting, he afterwards added other hues than pure blue and green to his palette, and began to color the flesh parts and draperies of his figures. His nephew, Andrea, carried this still further, and under

his hands and those of his four sons the distinctive character of pure Robbia ware was gradually lost, until it became an enamelled picture not much above the level of wax-work. The difference between the art in its purity and its decline may be judged of by the "Madonna and Child" attributed to Lucca, and the "Madonna adoring the Infant Jesus," by Andrea or one of his sons. The first is a pure and charming work, which, though by no means one of his best, will give the visitor some idea of the great talent of the artist and the plastic propriety of his work. The second will show him how, by overstepping the bounds which should separate painting from sculpture, a hybrid species of art was produced which had the merits of neither.

MADONNA AND CHILD. Luca della Robbia. From the Campana collection. Gift of C. C. Perkins.

THE VIRGIN ADORING THE INFANT JESUS. Andrea della Robbia. From the Campana collection. Gift of C. C. Perkins.

The two preceding numbers have temporarily been moved to the room of the Italian Renaissance, and are there shown with other works of the same period, lent by Mr. Quincy A. Shaw.

HEAD WITH HALO. Lent by *Mrs. T. O. Richardson.*

ADORING MADONNA. Modern imitation. Gift of the Rev. Mr. Washburn.

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***CASE 5.***

COPENHAGEN, THE HAGUE, ST. PETERSBURG, FÜRSTENBURGH, AND NYMPHENBURGH, SWISS, GERMAN, HUNGARIAN. Lent by *Mrs. Gray, A. B. French, Miss Griggs*, and *Miss Sarah M. Spooner;* also gift of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Wales.

CAPO DI MONTI. Lent by *Mrs. D. N. Spooner*, and gift of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Wales.

***CASE 6.***

DRESDEN. Lent by *Miss S. M. Spooner.* Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Wales.

DRESDEN GROUP, Adam and Eve. Gift of Sypher & Co.

DRESDEN CUP AND SAUCER, flowers in high relief. *Mrs. R. C. Greenleaf, Jr.*

CUP AND SAUCER, by Böttcher 1707. Gift of the Royal Porcelain Manufactory of Saxony. Meissen.

***CASE 7.***

FRENCH, BERLIN, AND VIENNA. Lent by *Miss S. M. Spooner*. Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Wales.

BERNARD PALISSY (1510–1580). Two specimens.

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***CASES 8 and 9.***

**FRENCH.**

SÈVRES TEA SERVICE. Gift of the Committee of the "Fair in Aid of Sufferers in France." This service was presented by the President of the French Republic to a lady who generously served as distributing agent of a portion of the funds sent over to relieve the suffering in France consequent upon the war of 1870.

SÈVRES PLATES. Plaques, Cups, etc. Lent by *Miss S. M. Spooner*. Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Wales.

SÈVRES BREAKFAST SET. *Miss C. L. W. French.*

SÈVRES AIGUIÈRE. Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Wales.

SÈVRES CUP AND SAUCER. Given by Miss H. Stevenson.

CHANTILLY, RUE DE BONDY, ETC. Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Wales.

OLD ROUEN. Lent by *Miss S. M. Spooner*, and gift of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Wales.

*Above the Case.*

SÈVRES VASE. *L. O. Garrett.*

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***CASE 10 and 11.***

**ENGLISH.**

THE PORTLAND VASE. Copied in Jasper ware. Gift of the makers, Josiah Wedgwood & Sons.

WEDGWOOD, one piece lent by *Miss Parkman*. Six pieces, gift of Miss C. L. W. French. A number of fine specimens of Jasper ware by Wedgwood, Turner, Mayer, and Adams. Lent by *Mrs. S. D. Warren, and others*, and gift of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Wales.

Also Whieldon, Voyez and Burslem Ware.

ROYAL WORCESTER, a loving cup presented to the Massachusetts Society of the Sons of the Revolution by William L. Chase.

***CASES 11 and 12.***

**ENGLISH.**

BRISTOL, CHELSEA, SALOPIAN, WORCESTER, CROWN DERBY. Lent by *Miss S. M. Spooner*, and gift of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Wales.

LARGE VASE, decorated by SOLON. *Mrs. H. P. Kidder.*

THE delicate PLATE, "Pâte sur pâte," designed and decorated by Solon, at the MINTON Works, Stoke-upon-Trent, was one of a half-dozen exhibited at Vienna. The others were bought for European museums. This was presented by G. W. Wales.

On a pedestal opposite is a large Vase, with incised figures, by Miss Barlow. Gift of the manufacturer, Jas. D. Doulton.

***CASES 14 and 15.***

URBINO, GUBBIO, FAENZA, Pesaro. Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Wales.

***CASE 16.***

SNUFF BOTTLES, CHINESE. Gift of Mrs. Geo. W. Wales.

*On Wall.*

HISPANO-MOORISH TILES. Gift of J. W. Paige, and lent by *Estate of Alfred Greenough.*

*By side of Case* 19.

TWO MOORISH JARS, 14th and 15th centuries. Gift of Miss Annette P. Rogers.

***CASE 17.***

SPANISH AND HISPANO-MOORISH. Lent by *Miss Sarah M. Spooner*, *Geo. B. Upton*, and *Estate of Alfred Greenough.* Gifts of Miss Annette P. Rogers, Denman W. Ross, and of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Wales.

SPANISH POTTERY. From Malaga. Fifteen pieces. Lent by *Miss S. Loring.*

SPANISH (from Triana). Lent by *Miss Helen Griggs.*

*Underneath.*

BOMBAY POTTERY, fourteen pieces, reproduction of ancient Scinde work. Gift of Geo. W. Wales.

***CASE 18.***

DELFT. Lent by *H. W. C. Browne, Miss S. M. Spooner.* Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Wales.

GRÈS DE FLANDRES. Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Wales.

***CASE 19.***

AMERICAN POTTERY from J. & J. G. Low's Art Tile works, Chelsea, Mass. A variety of glazed tiles and other wares. Head of Bryant and other pieces, in biscuit. Also on wall adjoining, a number of tiles.

AMERICAN POTTERY, pieces from the Rookwood Pottery, Cincinnati. Gift of Mrs. M. Longworth Nichols, and (one) of Miss M. Louise McLaughlin.

NEWCOMB POTTERY, New Orleans, three pieces.

MUG AND JAR by Miss A. Lee.

*Underneath.*

A number of pieces of early English ware, printed.

***CASE 20.***

JARS AND VASES with various glazes, by Hugh C. Robertson, Chelsea, Mass.

GRUEBY POTTERY in case and on stand adjoining, twelve pieces. Lent by the Grueby Faience Company. Mostly designed by George P. Kendrick.

Also underneath, in various glazes, from the factory of James Robertson & Sons, Chelsea, Mass., four from the hands of G. W. Fenety. Gift of the makers.

***CASE 21.***

POTTERY OF THE MOUND-BUILDERS. An interesting collection of ancient American pottery, presented by Mrs. Gardner Brewer and Miss Brewer.

Nos. 1 to 18. Water Jars, flask-shaped, some of very graceful forms.

Nos. 25 to 47. Pots and Dishes, with and without handles. No. 31 is curious, the handle being in shape of a bird's head turned in towards the dish.

Nos. 35 and 36 give the outline of a fish; the head and tail are the handles; on one side the long dorsal fin, on the other four pectoral and ventral fins.

Nos. 48 to 56. Water Jars with human or animal heads.

They are of dark clay, often mixed with finely powdered shells. These were excavated at Diehlstaat, Missouri, by Dr. Geo. J. Engelmann, from a series of mounds on a peninsula which could have been cut off for defence, fortified by wall and ditch.

The date of the mound-builders has not been determined, and no resemblance can be traced in their skulls to those of modern tribes of Indians. Prof. F. W. Putnam, in the eighth annual report of the Peabody Museum, Cambridge, p. 45, quotes Prof. G. C. Swallow in reference to some similar mounds as follows:—

"The six feet of stratified sands and clays formed around the mounds since they were deserted, the mastodon's tooth found in these strata, and other facts indicate great age. These six feet of thin strata were formed after the mounds and before the three feet of soil resting alike on the mounds and on these strata."

Also nine specimens of similar pottery dug up near Cairo, Illinois. Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Wales.

***CASE 22.***

POTTERY OF THE ZUÑIS.

***CASE 23.***

CHIRIQUI POTTERY. Fifty pieces. Gift of J. B. Stearns.

***CASE 24.***

MEXICAN subsequent to the Conquest. Many pieces. The gift of Denman W. Ross.

From BOLIVIA and the uplands of PERU, showing traditions of the style of workmanship of the Peruvians before the Conquest. *T. Q. Browne, Jr.*

***CASE 25.***

CENTRAL AMERICAN POTTERY. (Upper Shelf.) Found at Sonsonate, Republic of San Salvador, Central America. *Samuel H. Savage.*

MEXICAN POTTERY. A number of masks, faces, little figures, children's necklaces, jars, etc. Found chiefly in the ruins of houses.

***CASE 26.***

PERUVIAN POTTERY. Jars in animal and vegetable forms, with human faces, etc.

***CASES 27 and 28.***

MOORISH POTTERY. Purchased at the Exhibition at Philadelphia.

KABYLE POTTERY. Painted by the women of the tribes inhabiting the mountains of Algeria. Six pieces. Given by Miss A. N. Towne. Also eighteen pieces, gift of Thornton K. Lothrop.

***CASE 29.***

**TERRA-COTTA.**

BUST OF MADAME DU BARRY: by AUGUSTIN PAJOU, 1775. Bought from the collection of M. Thiers at Trouville, France. Gift of Geo. W. Wales.

ST. JOHN, a half length, 16th century. *C. C. Perkins.*

CLAUDE MICHEL CLODION, born at Nancy, 1738; d. 1814. Statuette of a nymph bearing a young faun. Gift of Nathan Appleton.

F. X. DENGLER. Tall vase. Two boys swinging from a bough. Gift of A. C. Wheelwright.

MISS L. B. COMINS. Jar decorated with poppies.

GEO. W. FENETY. Jar decorated with morning glories.

PRESSED BRICKS. Dutch (?), date 1611.

HEAD, NEAPOLITAN. Gift of Miss Griggs.

*On Wall adjoining.*

PERSIAN TILES. Some purchased, others lent from the Alfred Greenough estate.

***CASES 31 to 34.***

**JAPANESE.**

PORCELAINS AND EARTHENWARE, mostly modern.

OLD SATSUMA VASE, dragon in red and gold; the lip bends over, forming a fringe.

KIOYAKI VASE, eagle and pine. Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Wales.

LACQUER ON PORCELAIN. *Mrs. Greenleaf.*

A curious VASE, BLUE AND WHITE, in shape of an ex-

panded flower. HANGING VASE for flowers, resembling a mediæval drinking-horn. Several fine specimens of EGG-SHELL PORCELAIN, presented by E. Cunningham. TWO SATSUMA CUPS, bought of the maker, Kumasuke Seshima, Kagoshima.

ARITA VASE. Gift of Miss French.

SEVERAL FINE PIECES JAPANESE PORCELAIN, especially CUP AND SAUCER decorated with the tea-flower. Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Wales.

LARGE KAGA BOWL. From the Estate of *A. D. Weld French.*

TWO PIECES OF EMBROIDERY. *Dr. W. S. Bigelow.*

One from *S. K. Bayley.*

PAIR JARS. The fiery dragon in high relief in gold; figures of Yamato Taki No Mikoto, prince-warrior of old Japan, and his wife, Tachibana Hime. Ground richly shaded with gold. On cover the conventional Chinese lion, Kara Shishi. Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Wales.

PAIR JARS. Arita, decorated by Knaido. Gift of Miss C. L. W. French.

PAIR OF KIOTO JARS. *Athenæum.*

***CASE 35.***

CHINESE PORCELAINS. Lent by *Mrs. T. O. Richardson.*

***CASE 36.***

CHELSEA, BOW, CROWN DERBY, and other ENGLISH figure work. Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Wales.

*Underneath.*

ENGLISH POTTERY, nine pieces Doulton ware. Three the gift of Sir Philip Cunliffe Owen, Director of the South Kensington Museum.

Leeds, Shelton, Herculaneum, Staffordshire, Davenport, Silver Lustre, and other English wares. Lent by *H. W. C. Browne, Miss Griggs, Mrs. Frost, and others*, and gift of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Wales.

***CASE 37.***

CHINESE, BLUE AND WHITE.

Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Wales.

HAWTHORN JAR of remarkably fine color.

PLATE, of deep blue, representing a hunting scene, dates from Ching-Wha, 1465–1468.

***CASES 38 and 39.***

THE ROGERS COLLECTION OF CHINESE PORCELAINS. 103 pieces lent by Dr. G. O. Rogers, formerly of Hong Kong. These are catalogued separately.

***Under Case 38.***

Four blocks from the PAGODA OF NANKIN known as the PORCELAIN TOWER. Tradition ascribes a fabulous age to the original tower; it was rebuilt for the second time in the fifteenth century, and was destroyed in the Taeping rebellion. A BRICK, plain white glaze, gift of D. O. Clarke. TWO CAPITALS, lent by *A. B. French.* WHITE ELEPHANT IN HIGH RELIEF, presented by M. Brimmer.

***CASE 40.***

CHINESE PORCELAINS. Mostly the gift of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Wales. Five pieces lent by *Brooks Adams.*

Especially worthy of notice are, among others, —

CÉLADON FLEURÉ (in centre).

VASE, form of water-bottle, very dark and rich, SANG-DE-BŒUF color.

WHITE OVIFORM JAR, incised.

FIVE-FINGERED ROSADON VASE.

PITCHER, dark peacock-blue.

POT YELLOW.

Tall vase, ring handles, ground TEA-LEAF glaze, seal mark.

BOWL, grains of rice, white ground, blue border (centre of side).

POT, lavender fleuré.

WATER-BOTTLE, robin's-egg glaze.

VASE, jet black color, on the neck lizards in relief.

BOTTLE, red bats.

VASE, bottle shape, gold metallic glaze, rich blue decoration, metal mountings top and bottom.

PILGRIM BOTTLE, pale apple-green, Kien Lung mark (above case).

PALE BLUE VASE. This exquisite color is blown through a tube covered with fine gauze. The bubbles of color burst on striking. Gift of Geo. B. Dorr.

MOTTLED BLUE JAR, RED DRAGON ON LIP. This fine specimen was given by Mr. Geo. B. Dorr.

YELLOW HAWTHORN BOWL. Gift of Henry L. Higginson.

***CASE 41.***

CHINESE.

Two jars, OLD MING. *Boston Athenæum.*

TWO VASES, WITH FLOWERS IN HIGH-RELIEF.

ALTAR CUP, white, very old and rare. Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Wales.

GREEN DRAGON BOWLS. Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Wales.

JAR, CURIOUSLY MOTTLED. Gift of D. O. Clarke.

Other pieces lent by *Mrs. Swett*, and gift of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Wales, Mrs. Henry P. Sturgis.

CUP AND COVER, white, imperial dragon in red. The surface is especially noticeable. From the emperor's summer palace. Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Wales.

ROSE CRACKLE CUP AND COVER. Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Wales.

Also several fine pieces. *Fred L. Ames.*

CHINESE PENCILLING. Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Wales, and lent by *Mrs. J. P. Quincy.*

***CASE 42.***

PERSIAN AND RHODIAN WARE. Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Wales and of Henry L. Higginson, and lent by *George B. Upton.*

***CASE 43.***

**ENAMELS.**

SPECIMENS OF LIMOGES ENAMEL, purchased at Paris by the late Baron de Triqueti. *Athenæum.*

1. Pitcher (Aiguière) made by Leonard de Limoges (born 1532, died 1574).

2. A very beautiful hollow plaque made by Jean Courtois (fl. 1568). Subject, Goliath going forth to Battle. Enamels of this kind are called "su-paillon or clinquant," from the gold or silver leaf placed under certain parts of the draperies and accessories. The metal shining through the translucid enamel produces great brilliancy of effect.

3. A plaque by Nardon Penicaud (fl. 1550). Subject. The Descent from the Cross.

Also, CÆSAR AND VESPASIAN, Limoges enamels. Sumner bequest.

BOWL, ENAMELLED. Modern French. *Athenæum.*

Plaque, St. Peter, signed I. LANDIN, 1693. *Mrs. R. Baker.*

Two Dresden Enamels. *Miss Fisher.*

Snuff Box, Battersea Enamel. *Edward H. Greenleaf.*

Also, modern CHINESE, JAPANESE Enamels.

***CASE 44.***

### CLOISONNÉ AND OTHER ENAMELS.

In Cloisonné the foundation for the enamel is generally copper, on which a thin thread of metal ("*cloison*," a partition) is soldered, giving an outline for the design. Within these walls the enamel is fused.

A number of fine specimens lent by *Mrs. Fred L. Ames*, *E. W. Hooper*, and others.

The CLOISONNÉ BRAZIER was taken from the Emperor's bedside at the sacking of the Summer Palace, with the coals yet living. *Mrs. Fred L. Ames.*

The square panels of CLOISONNÉ are among the earliest examples known.

LARGE JAR. Lent by *Mrs. Wadsworth*, as also a box and two candlesticks.

Five ROOKS on a plant growing from the sea. Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Wales.

Pieces lent by the *Athenæum*, *Dr. Geo. O. Rogers*, *and others.*

In front of this case, large CLOISONNÉ INCENSE-BURNER, bequest of Mrs. Gardner Brewer; two large CLOISONNÉ GARDEN LAMPS.

***CASE 45.***

**GLASS.**

A box containing four pieces of finely engraved glass. German? *Mrs. Wadsworth.*

A bowl with ornaments colored, gilded, and in relief, bought at Prince Napoleon's sale. *C. C. Perkins.*

18 pieces of old Venetian glass. *Mrs. Wadsworth.*

An old Venetian drinking-glass. Ditto.

3 pieces of German glass, colored. Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Wales.

1 cup, highly colored Venetian, and several pieces old Venetian glass. Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Wales.

1 tazza, old Venetian, and a cup, modern English. Gift of Thomas Gaffield.

Spanish. Gift of Denman W. Ross.

4 pieces modern Venetian. *A. B. French.* Eight from *Miss Helen Griggs.* Two Venetian and one German (1622). Gift of Nathan Appleton.

Old French glass. *Miss Smith.*

Several pieces. *Miss Sarah M. Spooner.*

Tiffany Favrile glass, two pieces purchased from the Otis Norcross fund.

***CASE 46.***

A superb collection of JADES, CRYSTALS, etc., lent by *Mrs. Fred. L. Ames.*

CRYSTAL BALL, seven and a quarter inches in diameter; also a large and remarkable specimen of *fei-tsui* jade. Gift of Frederick L. Ames.

***CASE 48.***

WEDGWOOD, TURNER, ETC. 133 pieces. Bequest of Mrs. Richard Baker.

***CASE 49.***

Figure pieces: BOW, CHELSEA, DRESDEN, FRANKENTHAL, CAPO DI MONTI, HCHST, ETC. Seventy pieces, given by Mrs. T. O. Richardson in the name of Mrs. Richard Baker.

# ROOM OF WOOD CARVING, ARMS AND ARMOR.

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*On North Wall.*

PULPIT-DOOR, INLAID WITH IVORY AND EBONY, from a mosque at Cairo. It bears at the base the inscription, "Honor to our master, the Sultan, El-Malek E'Zaher Barqouq, and may God make glorious his reign!"

Sultan Barqouq, founder of the dynasty of Circassian Memlooks, reigned from 1382 to 1398. He twice marched into Syria and repulsed the Tartars under Tamerlane. On the frame above the door (the moucharabieh) is the inscription in large Cufic characters, "Of a surety God commands to reign by power and goodness." This admirable specimen of Saracenic art was purchased in the Egyptian Department of the Exhibition at Philadelphia and presented to the Museum by Martin Brimmer.

MOORISH DOOR, panelled, from Algiers. A balustrade and cupboard door, also from Algiers. Gift of J. W. Paige.

ALABASTER FOUNTAIN for ablution, from Cairo. A Cufic inscription is on the base. *Athenæum.*

ARMS, PADDLES, etc., from the PACIFIC ISLANDS, twenty pieces. Gift of John H. Sturgis.

ARMS AND SHIELDS, from the CONGO. Gift of Rev. Herbert Probert.

ARMS AND SHIELDS AND HORSE-TRAPPINGS OF THE SOMALI. *Dwight Moore.*

Lent by *Frederick Skinner:*—

CUIRASS OF CHAIN, mounted with buffalo horn; an almost unique specimen. From the Philippine Islands.

SHIELD AND LANCE captured from the Igorrotes, Luzon, P. I.

ARMS, SHIELDS, etc., from the Philippine Islands. Lent by *Joseph Earle Stevens.*

KREES taken from a Zulu chief.

Various smaller arms, mostly Zulu.

ZULU ASSEGAIS, SHIELDS, DRESSES, etc., lent by *Capt. F. P. Crockett.*

***Above CASE A and ON WALLS.***

EIGHTEEN PANELS carved oak. Belgian. Gift of J. W. Paige.

A large number of PANELS and other specimens of carved wood.

## CARVED WOOD.

*Collected by A. Castellani. Athenæum.*

Bought from the T. B. Lawrence bequest. Nos. 1, 6, and 10 are in the Lawrence Room; the others are on the walls or in Cases A and B.

1. MARRIAGE CHEST, of the 16th century, to contain a bridal trousseau. It is adorned with allegorical bas-reliefs, caryatides, and marine monsters. The background is gilded and punctured. Italian work.
2. CABINET, of fine style. 16th century. Italian work.
3. BAS-RELIEF, with many figures sculptured by Tasso, of Florence. 16th century.
4. FIVE FRAGMENTS OF A PIECE OF FURNITURE, representing children and arabesques. Italian. 16th century.
5. COAT OF ARMS, supported by children carrying a bas-relief of little figures. Italian. 17th century.
6. MARRIAGE CHEST of 14th century, with incised and inlaid (certosine) work. Venetian.
7. SMALL FIGURE OF AN OLD MAN, by Giovanni da Nola. 1600.

8 and 9. CARYATIDES, by Giovanni da Nola.

10. MONK'S FOLDING CHAIR. 14th century.
11. WRITING-CASE, decorated with Certosina work. Italian. 15th century.

12. CHARITY; small Venetian group of the 17th century.
13. SMALL MODEL OF AN ALTAR. Intaglio, in wood. Italian. 15th century.
14. HOLY-WATER VASE, gilded. Venetian. 17th century.
15. THREE MASKS. Italian. 16th century.
16. TWO MASKS AND TWO CARYATIDES, with slight gilding. Italian. 16th century.
17. EBONY TABLE, with ivory inlays of superb designs. Italian. 16th century.
18. FRAME, with chimeras, birds, and arabesques painted in many colors. In the midst a picture represents the Madonna and Child. By Barili, of Siena
19. CRADLE, with the Orsini and the Anguillara arms, covered with friezes and arabesques, slightly gilded. Italian. 16th century.

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*CASE A.*

ST. GUDULA, patron saint of Brussels. Rising early for devotions at church, she guided her steps by a lantern, which as often as Satan extinguished was relighted by her prayers. *J. W. Paige.*

CHINESE INLAID AND CARVED WORK. *F. W. Loring.*

JAPANESE PRESSED PAPERS.

MOORISH LEATHER WORK.

ITALIAN STAMPED LEATHER.

MANDOLIN. Spanish. *Miss S. M. Spooner.*

A PIANO, made for Caroline Marie Bonaparte, wife of Murat, and youngest sister of Napoleon. *Miss J. W. Little.*

CASSONE, ITALIAN, panels painted with the story of Paris. The Bride bears the arms of the Bartolini-Salimbeni family. Lent by *Mrs. Ed. M. Wheelwright.*

## IVORY CARVINGS.

*CASE B.*

ST. JAMES OF COMPOSTELLA. Ivory statuette. Fifteenth century. Spanish.

IVORY ELEPHANTS, Chinese. *Ed. Cunningham.* Ceylon *S. K. Bayley.*

MADONNA AND CHILD. Ivory statuette. Beginning of fourteenth century. School of Giovanni Pisano. *C. C. Perkins.*

TWO IVORY TRIPTYCHS. Gift of Mrs. Gardner Brewer. Shakespeare at the Court of Elizabeth; and Henry IV. giving the Government of the Kingdom to Marie de Médicis on his departure for Germany, 1610.

IVORY BALL, with several balls cut one within the other. *Athenæum.*

Another. Gift of Mrs. H. P. Sturgis.

Several pieces. *Frederick L. Ames, W. S. Appleton, S. K. Bayley*, and others.

IVORY BOX. *Athenæum.*

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***CASE C.***

THE ORIENTAL ARMS on the left, were purchased at Philadelphia and presented by a former citizen of Boston. The helmet, shield, and arm-pieces are of the richest PERSIAN work, carved in high relief and engraved. An enamelled poignard is especially noticeable.

Those on the right are from the bequest of T. B. Lawrence. The PERSIAN helmet shield and arm-piece are damaskeen work (steel inlaid with gold) of great beauty. *Athenæum.*

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***CASE D.***

Nos. 3, 12, and 13, mentioned above.

WOOD CARVING. Arabesques. By Frullini, of Florence.

STATUETTE OF KING ARTHUR OF ENGLAND. Copied from the statue belonging to the tomb of Maximilian at Innspruck, by a Tyrolese wood-carver. *C. C. Perkins.*

BOX-WOOD CROSS. Open-work carving. Byzantine.

ST. FRANCIS. Carved in boxwood. *J. W. Paige.*

Numerous specimens of CHINESE and other Eastern carvings.

INDIAN MOSAIC, wood inlaid with silver, ivory, etc.

THE CRUCIFIXION. Carved boxwood. *Thos. F. Richardson.*

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***CASE E.***

Casts from ivory and carved wood-work in the Museums of Munich, Nuremberg, etc. Gift of Mrs. and Miss Brewer.

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***CASE F.***

Vase of CINNABAR LACQUER. Gift of Francis C. Foster.

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***CASE G.***

Model in Alabaster of the TAJ MAHAL, Agra, India.
Gift of Charles J. Prince.

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A SEDAN CHAIR. 18th century. *H. W. C. Browne.*

A New England CHEST and DRAWERS, "M. F., 1696."
*Miss Gertrude Clark.*

VENETIAN CHAIR. 17th Century. One of a set of twenty-four. Gift of John L. Gardner.

AN OLD FRIESLAND SLED. The colored bas-relief represents Solomon and the Queen of Sheba.
Gift of Edward W. Hooper.

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***CASE H.***

Reduced models of portions of the ALHAMBRA by D. B. Contreras. Lent by *John Healey Childe.* Also three fragments of the original Stucco work of the *Alhambra*, one of them preserves the original color.

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***CASE I.***

ORIENTAL RIFLED GUN. Damascus barrel inlaid with gold; stock inlaid with silver.
Bequest of Mrs. J. A. Browne.

# LAWRENCE ROOM.

LINING OF A ROOM. Carved oak, of the sixteenth century. English or Flemish. Consisting of upper and lower panels, ceiling, mouldings, cornice, brackets, pendants, pilasters, carved figures; six bas-reliefs representing the history of the Prodigal Son; a pair of gates; and nine portraits on panels. Over the mantel are those of Henry VI., Elizabeth of York, consort of Henry VII., holding the white rose, and Elizabeth Woodville, queen of Edward IV. Over the east door are those of Henry VIII., Edward VI., and Cardinal Woolsey, after Holbein. Opposite are Elizabeth, Sir Walter Raleigh, and one other.

Purchased in London at Mr. Wright's, in Wardour Street, in 1871, by Mrs. T. B. Lawrence. *Athenæum.*

The mantel-piece is a modern reproduction.

AN ITALIAN CHEST, OR CASSONE, of carved oak, 16th century. Presented by Mrs. Lawrence. *Athenæum.*

Such chests, often decorated with paintings by eminent masters, were used for the preservation of wearing apparel.

EBONY CABINET inlaid with colored marbles. 16th century. Italian. Lawrence bequest. *Athenæum.*

TWO ARM-CHAIRS. Certosina work 17th century. *J. W. Paige.*

PORTUGUESE CHAIR. Embossed leather. *J. W. Paige.*

SMALL BOULE CABINET, decorated with ornaments in brass. Italian. Lawrence bequest. *Athenæum.*

TWO NEGRO BOYS, colored and gilded. Venetian. Presented by Mrs. Lawrence. *Athenæum.*

MARQUETRY LINEN PRESS from Haarlem. *C. A. Wellington.*

LARGE BOULE CABINET. 17th century. Italian.

*Athenæum.*

At the close of the sixteenth century, carved furniture gave place to furniture decorated with inlays of different colored woods (Marquetry, Intarsia), marbles, and other stones; or metal on wood or tortoise-shell, called Boule or Buhl, after Boule, who brought this sort of work to perfection in France under Louis XIV. Gift of Mrs. T. B. Lawrence.

TREASURE CHEST OF IRON. 16th century. Panels painted with scenes from Bible history. *C. A. Wellington.*

TWO SUITS OF ARMOR. Electrotype reproduction of suits in the Tower of London stand in the corners.

ARMOR OF HENI II. Reproduction. Gift of Mrs. J. B. H. James.

ARMS AND ARMOR, lent by *Mrs. Chas. B. Porter.* On the west wall, BURGUNDY HELMET, about 1550. SPEARS, 16th century, on one pair the arms of Nuremberg are engraved. GAUNTLETS, same date. SHIELD of the Thirty Years' War. Above are two Morions. Early in 17th century the fleur-de-lis was the crest of Munich.

On the east wall. CROSS BOW AND ARROWS; 17th century.

CUIRASS AND SABRE. From the field of Waterloo.

*Athenæum.*

ITALIAN CABINET, inlaid with marbles, agates, etc.

*Miss S. M. Spooner.*

*In Centre Case.*

CHINESE, INDIAN, PERSIAN AND CINNABAR LACQUER. Loans by *Mrs. F. L. Ames*, *Mrs. R. C. Greenleaf*, *Mrs. Chas. C. Perkins*, and gifts of E. W. Hooper, bequest of Mrs. Gardner Brewer.

SPECIMENS OF CARVED TALC, SOAPSTONE, ETC.

*Various lenders.*

*Case on North Wall.*

ARMS and PIPES. Gift of Mrs. T. O. Richardson from the Collection of Mr. Richard Baker.

# METAL ROOM.

## *CASES 1 and 2.*

### ITALIAN BRONZES OF THE RENAISSANCE PERIOD.

*Collected by Sig. Castellani. Athenæum.*

21. GILDED PROCESSIONAL CROSS, with figures and rich ornaments. 15th century.
22. GILDED RELIQUARY, of Venetian style, in shape of a bellfry. 15th century.
23. SALT-CELLAR, of enamelled copper, white and blue with gold ornaments. Venetian. 15th century.
24. SMALL BUCKET, of the same style and time, with white and green enamels.
25. Ditto, but larger.
26. GILDED CROSS, with triangular base and translucent enamel on silver. Decorated with arabesques in "criblé" work. Italian. 16th century.
27. GILDED CHALICE, with six transparent enamels and a silver cup. Italian. 15th century.
28. GILDED RELIQUARY, shaped like a temple, with four caryatides. Italian. End of 16th century.
29. SMALL POLYGONAL TEMPLE, with six colonnettes and a cupola with pierced ornaments. A watch or compass case. 16th century.
30. GILDED RELIQUARY, with foot and little cupola of Venetian style. Inscription in enamel, with the name of St. Lawrence. Italian. 15th century.
31. GILDED VOTIVE CROWN, with silver pearls, niellated bands, adorned with gems and colored glass. Inscribed with the names of the donors. Italian. 16th century.
32. GILDED WATCH CASE, with very elegant pierced ornaments. 16th century.
33. Ditto, smaller.

34. CASE to hold the Eucharist. On the cover a bas-relief representing the Last Supper. 15th century.
35. GILDED CROSS, with three busts of saints and of Christ, adorned with elegant arabesques and embossed work. Italian. 15th century.
36. GILDED RELIQUARY, with rich leaf work. Venetian style. 15th century.
37. CHALICE OF SILVER, gilt, covered with coral ornaments in relief. Italian. 17th century.
38. GOLDSMITH'S PLAQUE. In the midst a Roman triumph, and about it a hunt. Italian. 16th century.
39. Ditto. Cupid asleep. Italian. 16th century.
40. A PELICAN. 16th century.
41. GOLDSMITH'S PLAQUE, with beautiful arabesques. 15th century.
42. Another, gilded. Madonna and Child, flanked by two angels. Italian. 16th century.
43. Another. Christ crucified. Grandiose and fine composition. Italian. 15th century.
44. GILDED VASE, with two handles and chiselled in relief. 17th century.
45. BUST OF THE SAVIOUR. The left hand rests upon a globe, the right gives the benediction. The beard and hair are gilded, as are also the fringe of the robe and the surface of the globe. Very fine. Italian work of the 16th century.
46. POLYGONAL RELIQUARY, gilded. Venetian style. Cover of rock crystal. The stand is adorned with fine graffites. Italian. 15th century.
47. A GILDED LOCK, with figures, trophies, and the arms of the Orsini in relief. Italian. 16th century.
48. COPPER VASE of a very beautiful form, covered with chiselled arabesques in relief. Italian. 16th century.
49. BUST OF THE "ECCE HOMO," gilded, in relief on a background of white and black jasper. The ebony frame is adorned with stone cameos, lapis lazuli, and applied work of gilt metal. Florentine work of the 17th century. From the Medicean workshops.

50. TABLE CLOCK, in the form of a little temple, with chiselled ornaments in relief. Italian. 17th century.

TWO BRASS-MOUNTED EWERS. French. *G. V. Fox.*

Relics from St. Augustine, Florida, 1721. *W. H. Keith.*

PROCESSIONAL CROSS. *Horatio G. Curtis.*

FOURTEEN SILVER PLAQUES. Stations of the Passion. Also silver Bowl and Salver, old German. *Thos. F. Richardson.*

VASE OF IRON INLAID WITH GOLD AND SILVER. Spanish, a fine specimen of modern damaskeening, by Zuloaga. Purchased at the Exhibition.

BOWL, PLATE, AND LADLE. Russian, niello work, purchased at Philadelphia in 1876.

FRONT OF A BRONZE CASKET. On either side of the central medallion, which contains a head, is a Centaur bearing a woman on his back. Italian. Fifteenth century. *C. C. Perkins.*

Several pieces. *Thomas F. Richardson.*

THIRTEEN WATCHES. *Miss Sarah M. Spooner.*

GOTHIC RELIQUARY. Gift of Mrs. Chas. H. Joy.

### ELECTROTYPE REPRODUCTIONS.

*From objects in the South Kensington Museum.*

THE MARTELLI MIRROR. By Donatello. 15th century.

JAMNITZER CUP (silver).

GERMAN BEAKER (gilt).

CELLINI TAZZA (gilt).

BEDFORD TANKARD (gilt).

TAZZA, MELEAGER, AND ADONIS (gilt).

SIX SALT-CELLARS (gilt).

PYX (gilt).

BAS-RELIEF OF THE ENTOMBMENT (bronze).

VENETIAN SALVER.

BAS-RELIEF (silvered). By Jean Goujon. 16th century.

***CASES 3 and 4.***

### INDIAN METAL-WORK.

BRASS AND COPPER WARE FROM CASHMERE, HYDERABAD,

POONAH, MADRAS, etc. Collected by Lockwood de Forest. Gift of Miss Brewer.

## ORIENTAL METAL-WORK.

BENARES BRASS WARE.

PERSIAN BRASS WORK. Pair of vases and a pair of candlesticks, inlaid, presented to the Museum. Several pieces lent by *J. W. Paige.* Notable among them a tall CANDLESTICK and a BOWL, of perforated work.

PERSIAN VASE of perforated brass work.

LARGE PERSIAN PLAQUE of brass, engraved and inlaid with silver.

PERSIAN DRUM of brass.

COPPER WATER JAR, from Tunis; modern.

### *CASES 5 to 10.*

LARGE NUMBER OF TEAPOTS. JAPANESE. *Mrs. J. H. Sturgis.*

BRONZE PLAQUE. Half-figure of a woman. Modern imitation of a fifteenth-century Italian work. Loaned by *C. C. Perkins.*

PEWTER TANKARDS, PLATES, etc. Lent by *H. W. C. Browne*, *J. W. Paige*, and *Mrs. Croft.*

FORGED IRON WORK. Flowers from top of a grille, cinque cento work, Spanish; lock from Nuremberg; knocker and door-pull, German; twisted candlestick, French; a variety of keys. *J. W. Paige.*

POWDER HORN. Turkish, copper engraved *Athenæum.*

Several pieces. *H. W. C. Browne.*

MALACHITE BOX. Gift of the City of St. Petersburg, with diploma of citizenship, to the late Assistant Secretary of the Navy, Gustavus V. Fox.

BRASS PLATES. Hammered work, German, 15th and 16th centuries. Lent by *Denman W. Ross* and *J. Lindon Smith.*

Case of PATTERNS of BRONZE manufacture, Japanese. The variety of tone and texture, of inlaid, raised, and engraved work and the imitation of the antique are very interesting.

JAPANESE BRONZES, mostly modern. VASE, decorated with grasses on which the dew-drops glisten. HANGING FLOWER VASE, half-moon shape, inlaid with silver. TRAY, inlaid silver, and TRAY of lotus-leaf shape. HELMET, sun, moon, dragon, etc., inlaid in gold and silver; several heavy dints show that it has seen service.

GREAT VARIETY OF VASES, some especially noticeable for fine shape. Bequest of Mrs. Gardner Brewer, gift of Miss L. A. Brooks, lent by *S. K. Bayley*, and others.

BRONZE STATUETTE of a river god. Bequest of Mrs. Sever.

ON THE WALLS ADJOINING. — WROUGHT-IRON WORK. TORCH OR BANNER-BEARER, from Siena. BELL-PULL, decorated with flower-work, from Nuremberg. Lent by *J. W. Paige.* As also are the HINGES from Nuremberg, the German chest with remarkable LOCKand the iron Spanish MONEY-BOX.

Thirteen LOCKS and other pieces of wrought iron. Belgian German. Gift of J. W. Paige.

A number of HANDLES, BELL-PULLS, HINGES, ESCUTCHEONS, NAIL-HEADS, etc. Belgian wrought-iron of 16th (?) century. Gift of Dr. Wm. S. Bigelow. Also lent by him, a wrought-iron CANDELABRUM from Antwerp.

HINGES, LOCKS, KEYS, and a MONEY BOX, wrought-iron of XVI. and XVII. centuries. From the Alfred Greenough estate. Gift of the Executor, Chas. Henry Parker.

BRONZE GONG, inlaid with dragons in gold. Fine, bold work, the inscription records that it was made over a century ago of a parcel of coins found in a half-corroded state and then several centuries old. The tone is deep and sonorous.

***CASE 11.***

CHINESE BRONZES. *Mrs. Fred L. Ames*, *Mrs. E. M. Stevens* and *Dr. Geo. R. Hall.* Bequest of Mrs. Gardner Brewer.

***CASE 13.***

A number of casts of metal work chiefly in the Royal Museum of Munich; locks, hinges, cups, candlesticks, etc., of the 12th, 15th, and 16th centuries.

CASTS from GOLD AND SILVER WORK, mostly of 16th century. Moulds for goldsmith work. Goblet, marriage gift to Luther from the town of Wittemberg. Gift of Mrs. and Miss Brewer.

***CASE 14.***

**BRONZES.**

By L. A. BARYE. Elephant Crushing a Tiger. Gift of Mrs. S. D. Warren. Tiger Marching; Two Hares; Gazelle. Lent by *Robert H. Monks.*

By E. FREMIET. Joan of Arc; Duc d'Orleans; Wounded Dog; Two Bassets; Cats; Dog Reclining. *Robert H. Monks.*

***CASE 15.***

ETRUSCAN BRONZES. *Angelo del Nero.*

# COIN ROOM.

***CASES 1 to 7.***

ELECTROTYPE REPRODUCTIONS OF COINS. Selected from the collection of the British Museum.

Five of these cases lent by the *Athenæum.*

***CASES 8 to 14.***

Part of the RINDGE COLLECTION OF GREEK AND ROMAN COINS. *Frederick H. Rindge.*

***CASES 15 to 21.***

MEDALS, chiefly Papal. These are catalogued.

*John H. Storer.*

***CASE 22 and 23.***

COINS, modern. Bequest of Miss Rebecca Salisbury.

***CASE 23.***

A collection of 214 RINGS, principally Italian, German, and French. *Mrs. Wm. D. Boardman.*

***CASE A.***

**GOLD AND SILVER WORK.**

THE LONGEVITY VASE, of China. The word "longevity" repeated sixty times in characters formed of rubies and emeralds, set in pure gold. Part of the loot of the Teen-Tih rebellion. *E. Francis Parker.*

Three pieces of Silver, Gilt, Niello-ware from SIAM. Gift of the U. S. National Museum through Dr. G. Brown Goode.

COFFEE-POT with coral handle, and a covered box, Silver Filigree. ALGERIAN. Gift of Mrs. Roland C. Lincoln.

SILVER GILT BOX, once a present from Napoleon to Josephine. Made with other articles for the toilet table by Odiot of Paris. Gift of Miss Salome J. Snow.

SILVER SHRINE, from Tartary.

ONE GOLD ALEXANDER. *Mrs. Geo. Hurter.*

SILVER SURAIS, Cashmere.

ALGERINE HEAD-DRESS, cut from a sheet of silver. Gift of Mrs. Richard Sullivan.

THREE PIECES. ALGERIAN. *Mrs. Arthur Croft.*

CRYSTAL CROSS, with emblems of the passion, from the shrine of the Virgin del Pilar. Saragossa.

SMALL SILVER PLAQUE from the outside of a missal. Saint praying. Repoussé work. *C. C. Perkins.*

SCARABS, Egyptian and Gnostic. *Mrs. Chas. B. Porter.*

TOPAZ SEAL from Nineveh. *Mrs. George Hurter.*

ASSYRIAN CYLINDER, engraved.

SILVER PITCHER. Chinese. *E. Cunningham.*

ENAMELLED WATCH, in the form of a double heart. Gift of the Misses Delano.

***CASE B.***

**AMERICAN SILVERWARE.**

SILVER VASE. A gift to Dr. Asa Gray, on his seventieth birthday, by the botanists of America.

A TEA SERVICE of four pieces made by PAUL REVERE. Presented in 1799 to Edmund Hart, constructor of the Frigate "Boston," by his "fellow-citizens."
Gift of James Longley.

GOLD RACING CUP, San Francisco. The stand is of concentric rings of native porphyry, lapis lazuli, silver quartz, and gold quartz. *Hamilton W. Cary.*

SNUFF-BOX of Gilbert Stuart. Gift of Sidney Brooks.

SILVER PITCHER. Inlaid copper, richly decorated. Made by Tiffany & Co., New York. *F. H. Smith.*

COFFEE POT, made by Paul Revere.
Bequest of Dr. Buckminster Brown.

TANKARD, PORRINGERS, TRAY, ETC. Loans by *Miss Lombard*, *Mrs. Slater*, *Mrs. Hammond*, *Mrs. Morgan* and *Mr. Laurence Bradford.*

CUP AND SPOONS, once owned by Washington.
*Mrs. G. W. Hammond.*

***CASE C.***

On the north side, gold work and jewelry, chiefly from INDIA; on the east, from ALGIERS and TURKEY; on the south, EUROPEAN; above, modern RUSSIAN enamels and some reproductions of antique ORIENTAL work. *Mrs. Arthur Croft.*

***CASE D.***

A superb collection of WATCHES, RINGS, FANS, etc. The watch, surmounted by the double-headed eagle, was a gift from the Emperor of Russia, and was taken in the loot of the summer palace, Pekin.

*Mrs. Arthur Croft.*

***CASE E.***

Pair VENETIAN CANDLESTICKS. *Denman W. Ross.*

Several pieces. Bequest of Mrs. Turner Sargent.

SILVER-WARE. A number of pieces, chiefly of Norway and Sweden, also English and American. *Mrs. Geo. W. Hammond.*

A collection of SILVER. Mostly RUSSIAN. *Miss Sarah M. Spooner.*

***CASE F.***

A collection of SPOONS. GERMAN, DUTCH, ITALIAN, POLISH, RUSSIAN, etc.

Chiefly the bequest of J. W. Paige, also lent by *Miss Sarah M. Spooner*, *Mrs. Geo. W. Hammond*, *and others.*

***CASE G.***

**MOSTLY WOMEN'S ORNAMENTS.**

EARRINGS, BRACELET and RING, from tombs in Smyrna. Gift of a class of ladies.

SILVER DISH, from excavations at Pompeii. Lotus-leaf pattern, with gilt boss at the centre. Gift of H. P. Kidder.

Reproduction of an ANTIQUE NECKLACE. Bequest of Mrs. Turner Sargent.

An ETRUSCAN NECKLACE.

Twelve EARRINGS from Greece, Damascus, etc. *J. W. Paige.*

HEAD-DRESSES, EARRINGS, BRACELETS, etc., worn by Kabyle women.

Gift of Mrs. Richard Sullivan and J. W. Paige.

EARRINGS OF FEATHER. Encased in gold filigree. *Mrs. R. C. Greenleaf, Jr.*

GOLD AND SILVER ORNAMENTS from Abyssinia and the Soudan. *Athenæum.*

NORWEGIAN SILVER-WORK and ORIENTAL ornaments. *Miss Helen Griggs.*

WATCH and Chatelaine set with brilliants, a wedding gift to Queen Charlotte, wife of George III. Bequest of Sara G. Timmins.

BRACELETS from China, Algeria, Italy, Germany, etc. *Mrs. R. C. Greenleaf, S. K. Bayley, J. W. Paige,* and *Miss E. W. Healey.*

A Collection of Silver Ornaments, etc., from INDIA, EGYPT, MONTENEGRO. *Miss Sarah M. Spooner.*

***CASE H.***

SILVER COMMUNION SERVICE of the Old West Church. Gift of the *Society.*

***CASE I.***

ENGLISH SILVERWARE.

URN, ENGLISH, 1786–7. Bequest of Mrs. Margaret Allen Elton.

URN. Copper and silver. *H. W. C. Browne.*

TANKARDS. *Alfred E. Burton* and *Daniel Berkeley Updike.*

OTHER TABLE WARE. Loans by *Mrs. Hammond* and *Miss Healy* and bequests of Mrs. Margaret Allen Elton and Dr. Buckminster Brown.

## FANS.

***CASES J and K.***

FRENCH and SPANISH. *Miss S. M. Spooner.*

***CASE L.***

By VERNIS MARTIN. *Miss Mary Rivers.*

Of the time of Louis XVI. *Mrs. Thomas F. Richardson.*

FRENCH, about 1793. *Miss Isa E. Loring.*

FAN painted for GOV. HUTCHINSON, of Boston, with portraits of himself and family. *J. W. Paige.*

Three FRENCH. *Mrs. Kingsmill Marrs.*

***CASE M.***

Four FRENCH and one CHINESE.
Gift of Mrs. George W. Wales.

***CASE N.***

Cups, goblets, tankards and plaques of silver and silver gilt. Nautilus shell set in silver. Enamelled fish, etc. Lent by *Mrs. T. O. Richardson*, from the Collection of Mrs. Richard Baker.

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***CASE O.***

A Collection of Boxes, Silver, Lacquer, Enamel, etc.; of Watches; Indian goldsmith work; Armenian Headdresses, etc. Lent by *Mrs. Kingsmill Marrs.*

## JAPANESE ROOM.

The objects in this room, with few exceptions, are lent by *Dr. William Sturgis Bigelow* and *Dr. Charles G. Weld.*

### *CASES 1 to 10.*

Figures in wood and bronze of BUDDHA and his hierarchy of attending divinities. Many of these are of great age and delicacy of workmanship.

One gift of Henry C. Warren, others lent by *Dr. Bigelow.*

### *CASES 11 and 12.*

BRONZES, also in Case 11 a SHRINE of chiselled brass of rare workmanship. *Dr. Bigelow.*

### *Against the Wall.*

BRONZE ELEPHANT supporting a column, a very fine old altar piece, intended for floral offerings. On the hexagonal base are the twelve signs of the zodiac. On the column, figures of sages, Buddhist saint seated on a lotus. On reverse, the stork, pine-tree, and Chinese sages crossing a bridge, emblematical of longevity, green old age, and the path through life. *Dr. W. S. Bigelow.*

BRONZE CYLINDER, flower vase, from a temple, inlaid with silver dragons and mythical birds fighting over the sea.

### *CASE 13.*

SILVER and GOLD work — some of marvellous delicacy.

*Drs. Weld and Bigelow.*

***CASE 14.***

NETSUKE, Japanese Carvings in ivory and wood.
*Dr. Bigelow.*

***CASE 15.***

SWORDS. *Dr. Bigelow.*

***CASE 16.***

SWORD GUARDS and Sword Mountings. Note the delicacy and beauty of some of this metal work.
*Drs. Bigelow and Weld.*

***CASE 17, 18, 19, 20.***

SWORDS. *Dr. Weld.*

In one is placed for comparison a sword once belonging to the royal family of Naples.

***CASE 21.***

PAGODA SHRINE, showing also the construction of temple roofs. Gift of *Dr. Henry J. Bigelow.*

***CASE 22.***

LACQUERS. *Dr. Weld.*

***CASE 23.***

GOLD ORNAMENTS of tobacco pouches, and sword mountings, pipes, etc. *Dr. Weld.*

***CASES 24 to 29.***

An unrivalled collection of LACQUERS. *Dr. Bigelow.*

***CASES 30 and 31.***

LACQUERS lent by *Mrs. Kidder*, *Mrs. Edward Cunningham*, from the bequest of Thos. G. Appleton, etc.

***CASES 32 to 41.***

BROCADE and GAUZE DRESSES, made for use in the No dances. *Dr. Bigelow.*

***ABOVE CASES 1 to 10.***

Two fine SCREENS, 17th Century, No dances.
Gift of *O. W. Peabody.*

CABINET, inlaid wood. *Mrs. W. B. Swett.*

CABINET, inlaid with mother-of-pearl.
Gifts of *Francis Amory* and *Geo. A. Goddard.*

*On South Wall.*

Twenty-one panels WOOD CARVING, illustrating, among other subjects, Stories in the life of Buddha. These superb Carvings are from the wall of a temple of about the 16th Century. *Dr. Bigelow.*

# CORRIDOR.

## *CASES 1 to 40.*

THE MORSE COLLECTION OF JAPANESE POTTERY. — In bringing the collection together, Mr. Morse has endeavored to secure specimens of every province in which pottery has been made, including work of every age, also the work of every maker and every variety of mark; and, further, to secure every kind of object made in pottery. The collection thus far embraces over four thousand five hundred specimens, nearly six hundred kinds of wares, over a thousand different marks, and nearly two hundred and fifty different objects made in pottery.

It is arranged by provinces, of which there are fifty-six represented.

Most of the original specimens figured in the famous work of Ninagawa belong to the collection, and these will be indicated by special labels.

At the earliest moment the specimens will be properly labelled, and an extensive catalogue, with marks, will be published. *Edward S. Morse.*

Above these cases are twenty panels of CARVED WOOD, chiefly flower subjects, of bold execution and great beauty.
*Dr. W. S. Bigelow.*

## *CASES 41 to 84.*

Selections from the collections of SCREENS and KAKEMONO lent by *Dr. Charles G. Weld* and by *Dr. Wm. Sturgis Bigelow*, are hung in rotation.

## *On the South Wall.*

Eleven SUITS OF ARMOR, for fighting and parade.
*Dr. Charles G. Weld*

ARMOR OF JAPANESE STANDARD-BEARER, imperial crest. Gift of B. R. Curtis.

***CASES A, B, and C.***

A fine collection of illuminated MSS., and other miniature painting. *Thomas F. Richardson.*

***CASE D.***

Case of ILLUMINATED MISSALS, ARABIAN KORAN, specimens of OLD BINDINGS, etc., lent by *Mrs. C. C. Perkins*, *Mrs. Wm. G. Weld*, *Mrs. R. Baker*, *and others.*

MAIOLESQUE BINDING, 1530–1550 A. D.
*Thos. G. Appleton*

***CASES E, F, G, and H.***

JAPANESE PRINTS, lent by Dr. W. S. Bigelow and Denman W. Ross.

***CASES I, J, K, and L.***

JAPANESE PAINTINGS and PRINTS.

***CASE M.***

JAPANESE ARMOR. Eleven suits lent by *Dr. Weld*, one the gift of Benj. R. Curtis.

***CASE N.***

JAPANESE ARMOR. Two lent by *Dr. Charles G. Weld*, one by *Lieut. Holmes*, *U. S. N.*

***CASE O.***

ILLUMINATED CHOIR BOOK, 1559.
*Estate of Phillips Brooks.*

***CASE P.***

Two of the ANTIFONARI of the Cathedral of Lodi. Executed, 1455–1497, for the Bishop of Lodi, Carlo Pallavicina.

The bindings of solid stamped leather, with brass mountings bear the arms of the Bishop.
Lent by *Angelo del Nero.*

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